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OPERATORS SPLIT AND BITTER FIGHT BEGINS HERE TODAY

NEWS SUMMARY

COAL STRIKE.

Coal operators of Western Pennsylvania split even for and against signing the new scale, and Patrick Dolan instructed miners not to work because those that signed did so illegally. Bitter fight begins today.—Page 1.

President Mitchell and U. M. W. A. scale committee will meet anthracite operators today, but no immediate agreement is expected.—Page 2.

Miners quit work in all mines in anthracite field except one small colliery.—Page 2.

Negotiations for signing of 1903 scale are in progress in Pennsylvania bituminous fields.—Page 2.

Mitchell predicts that the bituminous strike will not be long continued.—Page 2.

Miners' strike conditions in Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and other states.—Page 2.

DOMESTIC.

Zanesville boy gave up his life trying to rescue brother from deadly electric wire.—Page 1.

Congressman Burke declared there is no truth that Pittsburgh real estate men are putting up prices on available sites for a new post office building.—Page 8.

PENNSYLVANIA.

Four men were killed and a number injured on the Buffalo and Allegheny Valley division of the Pennsylvania. Robert Burkhart of Pittsburgh is one of the dead.—Page 1.

Robert Wait of New Castle was declared legally dead, but returned alive.—Page 7.

New Brighton women refused to increase pay of washerwomen, and the union got a black eye.—Page 1.

LOCAL.

Mayor Guthrie, in his inaugural address, announced he would appoint commission to investigate public works, including the big filter plant.—Page 1.

Office men of local railroads are organizing a division of the Brotherhood of Railway Clerks.—Page 16.

The Rev. Dr. Russell, retiring pastor of Sixth United Presbyterian church, given $10,000 in bonds as a parting present by his congregation.—Page 2.

W. H. Fowzer was arrested on a charge of stealing valuable electrical supplies and automobile tires worth $500.—Page 1.

Judge Macfarlane granted preliminary injunction restraining the city from making a contract with the Welsbach Light Company.—Page 16.

Director Ridgway of the department of public safety, dismissed Superintendent Werner and appointed McQuaide to his duties, pending consolidation of police and detective bureaus.—Page 5.

Charles F. Kirschler was auspiciously inaugurated mayor of Allegheny.—Page 3.

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Pirates hit the ball often and shut out the Little Rock team, 12 to 0.—Page 9.

St. Anthony and St. Joseph team are a tie for championship honors in the Diocesan league.—Page 9.

Dogs will today begin to arrive for the bench show at Duquesne garden.—Page 9.

Running horses make good time on fast tracks throughout the country.—Page 10.

FINANCIAL.

New York stock market active, firm and higher, closing near the best prices. In Pittsburgh coal glass and steel stocks advanced. Free selling by pit traders caused weakness in Chicago grain market during first hour, but feeling became firmer during the day.—Pages 14 and 15.

THE WEATHER

Fair and warmer today, and showers tomorrow, is the forecast for Pittsburgh and vicinity made by the official observer at Washington. The maximum temperature yesterday was 55 degrees and the minimum 31 degrees. The sun rose clear at 6:02 a. m., and set clear at 6:46 p. m. The daily report, as furnished by the local weather bureau, follows:

Time.	Tem.	Hum.	Wind.	Vel.	Weather.
8 a. m.	35	50	N. W.	8	Clear
8 p. m.	50	39	N. W.	12	Clear

Comparative temperature and precipitation for April 3:

	1906	1905		1906	1905
Maximum	55	62	Mean	42	51
Minimum	31	40	Precipitation	0	0
Nor. temp. 31 yrs.	46		Nor. precip. 31 yrs.	.69	
Dfcy. for day	3		Dfcy. for day	.09	
Dfcy. since April 1.	12		Dfcy. since April 1.	.18	
Dfcy. since Jan 1.	42		Dfcy. since Jan. 1.	2.10	

Government Weather Forecast.

WASHINGTON, April 2.—Forecast: Western Pennsylvania, Ohio and West Virginia—Fair, warmer Tuesday, showers and cooler.

Observations taken at 8 p. m.:

Chicago	44 Clear	St. Louis	58 Clear
Dubuque	52 Clear	Cincinnati	64 Clear
Omaha	64 Cloudy	Davenport	56 Clear
Peoria	54 Clear	Columbus	59 Clear
Atlanta	66 Clear	Washington	48 Clear
Cairo	62 Clear	Des Moines	62 Clear
Abilene	66 Pt.Cldy	Springf'd, Ill.	54 Clear
Wichita	68 Cloudy	Parkersburg	52 Clear
El Paso	72 Clear	Indianapolis	54 Clear
Concordia	68 Pt.Cldy	Grand Haven	56 Clear
Oklahoma	64 Clear	New Orleans	66 Clear
Nashville	60 Clear	Montgomery	64 Pt.Cldy
Memphis	56 Clear	Grand Rapids	55 Clear
Duluth	40 Clear	Springf'd, Mo.	62 Pt.Cldy
Marquette	48 Clear	Kansas City	58 Clear
Amarillo	72 Cloudy	San Antonio	58 Cloudy
Buffalo	36 Clear	Little Rock	66 Cloudy
Galveston	62 Cloudy	Fort Smith	68 Cloudy
Norfolk	42 Clear	Vicksburg	68 Cloudy
Louisville	56 Clear	Philadelphia	48 Clear
Helena	52 Cloudy	New York	44 Clear
Havre	38 Clear	Cleveland	45 Clear
Huron	38 Clear	Baltimore	48 Clear
Bismarck	48 Pt.Cldy	Jacksonville	68 Clear
St. Paul	46 Clear	Pittsburgh	54 Pt.Cldy
Cheyenne	54 Clear	Chattanooga	64 Clear
Lander	50 Snow	Yellowstone	32 Cloudy
Denver	54 Pt.Cldy	Rapid City	26 Cloudy
Dodge City	64 Pt.Cldy	North Platte	60 Clear
Pueblo	60 Clear	Los Angeles	60 Clear
Salt Lake	56 Clear	Boston	32 Clear

*Observations taken at 8 a. m.

COAL STRIKE SITUATION BRIEFLY TOLD

Although the greatest suspension of coal mining in the United States since the production of the fuel attained its present enormous total, occurred yesterday, the fear of a complete tie-up of the industry has passed and the situation is expected to improve rapidly with each day. Reports from the bituminous fields show that many leading coal companies have signed the 1903 scale, which gives an advance of 5.55 cents over the wages during the last two years. The number of miners who received the increase is estimated at nearly 100,000.

As thousands of soft coal workers laid off to celebrate the inauguration of the eight-hour day, the number of men who are on strike or have suspended work pending negotiations will not be known until today or tomorrow.

In the anthracite regions there was a total suspension of mining in obedience to the instructions issued by the U. M. W. A. scale committee. The representatives of the operators and the miners will meet in New York today for further discussion of their differences.

No disorder of any consequence is reported from any section of the anthracite or bituminous fields.

Patrick Dolan Instructs the Miners Not to Go to Work.

LEWIS COMING HERE

21,000,000 Tons Accept and 20,000,000 Tons Reject New Wage Scale.

OTHER STATES AWAIT RESULT

Lines were formed last night by coal operators in the bituminous coal fields of western Pennsylvania for one of the bitterest conflicts ever waged on a labor issue, the outcome of which will determine the question of strike or no strike for the whole country. So closely are the opposing forces matched, that operators representing an annual tonnage of 21,000,000 tons have signified a willingness to operate under the new scale, and interests representing an annual tonnage of 20,000,000 tons have refused to do so.

Further ammunition is found in the fact that Patrick Dolan, who is defending his position as president of the district organization, notified all locals in the district last night not to permit their men to go to work this morning, for the reason that such scales as were signed yesterday were without proper authority. Illinois, Indiana and Ohio operators were in constant communication with Pittsburgh independents yesterday and agreed to stand out on strike.

Firms That Have Signed.

Shortly after 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon the scale committee appointed by the miners' district convention, now in session here, met in the board room of the Pittsburgh Coal Company to sign up the new scale with such operators as were willing to accept the terms. The following companies, representing 21,000,000 tons, signed the scale: Pittsburgh Coal Company, Monongahela River Consolidated Coal and Coke Company, Ellsworth Coal Company, Vesta Coal Company, Crescent Coal Company, Dilworth Coal Company, Mifflin Coal Company, Peoples Coal Company, Marlne Coal Company, Steen Coal Company, Wampum Coal and Coke Company and Mansfield Coal Company. These companies will resume operations this morning, providing the men will disregard the notice sent out by Dolan, and it is believed a majority of them will do so. Dolan claims that the rules of the national organization provide that the president and other district officials alone are authorized to sign the scale, which must be indorsed by the scale committee. He contends that the action of the appointed scale committee was illegal and that those working under it are liable to disfranchisement.

Dolan will appear at the district convention this morning and will, he says, act as chairman. He will attack the election of Frank Feehan as his successor on the ground that Feehan is not a member in good standing in the organization, and therefore not eligible to office. He claims that Feehan's local No. 1339, is three months in arrears of dues, which under the district law excludes it from membership and makes it necessary to reorganize the local before any of its membership can be entitled to election.

Independents Look for Disorganization.

Independent operators are said to view these internal differences in the district organization with interest, and look for an almost total disorganization. It is believed that when the 25,000 miners working in the independent mines in the Pittsburgh district are forced out today by the action of the independent operators taken last night, and see 25,000 other miners go to work in the mines of the operators who have signed the scale—that is provided these latter disregard Dolan's orders—that the breach between the factions will become wider, while Dolan's attempt to keep Feehan out of the presidency is expected to furnish a further rupture.

Meanwhile all the bituminous operators in the country are holding off to await the result of the strife on the local battlefield. If the local organization can be held together and the Pittsburgh Coal Company and its allied interests are successful in attempting to operate, it may force the local independents in line, and subsequently the operators of other fields, who will not care to have their territory invaded by Pittsburgh district coal at advanced prices. Should the local independents win, it will probably mean the death knell of the Mine Workers, and it is a fight to a finish in either case.

The independent operators met in the Frick building last night, and were in

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GO TO DEATH ON WILD RIDE TO A WRECK

Pittsburgh Engineer and Another Man Killed by Overturning Engine.

TWO MEN RUN DOWN

Series of Accidents on the Allegheny Valley Road During a Short Period.

FALLING RAILS CATCH FOUR

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

FRANKLIN, PA., April 2.—Four men met death and four were seriously hurt on the Buffalo & Allegheny Valley division of the Pennsylvania railroad this evening. Two men were crushed to death under an overturned locomotive, which left the track while making a fast run with a work train to a wreck near Emlenton, where a number of laborers had been hurt, and two men were run down by a pasenger train, while walking on the tracks near Kittanning.

The dead:

ROBERT BURKHART, engineer, Pittsburgh; body crushed and both legs cut off.

F. C. SHIPMAN, road supervisor, Oil City; left leg cut off and body scalded.

JOHN, McDONALD, of Godfrey.

MILTON DRUMMOND of Godfrey.

The injured:

DOMINICK LOZZI.

GIACOMO GIO.

SALVATORE STEFANO.

FRANCIESCA POLITONO.

The first accident, at Emlenton, was caused by an engine running light crashing into a work train. Fifty Italians were unloading rails when the northbound limited engine crashed into the rear of the train, which was standing on the main track. Many of the workmen were standing on the cars, and they were hurled into the air. Four were caught under the falling rails, sustaining broken legs and arms or severe scalp wounds.

A train consisting of an engine, two flat cars and a caboose was made up and started for Emlenton. When it reached Rockland, 20 miles below here, the engine jumped the track and turned over. Burkhart, Shipman, Madison and Barber were all in the engine cab at the time and were caught under it when it overturned.

A relief train was made up at Oil City, and with physicians on board was hurried to Rockland. The dead and injured were taken to Oil City. Madison, who with Barber, is now in the hospital there, cannot recover.

John McDonald and Milton Drummond, workmen residing at Godfrey, were run down by a passenger train on the Buffalo & Allegheny Valley division of the Pennsylvania tonight and instantly killed. Their remains were gathered up and taken to Kitanning.

MANY ATTEND BULL FIGHT.

Mexican Matadores Amuse Visitors of California Winter Resort.

CORONADO, CAL., April 2.—(Special.)—At a bull fight Sunday afternoon at Tiajuna, Mexico, 13 miles from here, were several hundred persons from here, mostly visitors from all over the country. Lieut.-Gov. Trinidad Barretto directed the fight from his box by means of bugle notes. When the last bull appeared two of the matadores appearing in costumes stuffed with straw and blown up with wind bags, so that they could run and roll around with danger when struck by the maddened bulls.

BURGLARS HAVE EASY TIME.

Residence of Manufacturer Is Entered While He Is Away and Intruders Make Themselves at Home.

NEW YORK, April 2.—(Special.)—While H. T. J. Fuerhman, a wealthy manufacturer, was in the south for three weeks with his family, burglars were living comfortable in his home. When they moved they carried away more than $1,000 worth of jewelry, clothing and furniture.

Nearly all Mr. Fuerhman's wine was drunk by the men, who went to grocery stores and purchased eatables. An iron safe was forced open and watches and many small articles of jewelry taken.

UNHURT BY FOUR STORY FALL.

Little Girl Chases Kitten Through Air and Has Remarkable Escape from Injury.

NEW YORK, April 2.—(Special.)—When little Angeline Peraga's kitten started to jump from the fire escape on the fourth floor to the fire escape on the third floor Angeline made a grab for its tail, missed and fell. She landed on her feet in the yard in the rear of the house, and then scampered up the stairs. She met her mamma, white-faced and breathless.

"Oh, Angie, are you badly hurt, darling?" asked Mrs. Peraga.

"Hurt nothing," replied Angeline stoutly, "where's my kitty?"

She received only a bruise or two from her fall.

LETTERS BRING SMALL SUMS.

Library and Correspondence of the Late Thomas Nast Sold at Auction.

NEW YORK, April 2.—When the library of the late Thomas Nast, and the autograph letters he received from many noted persons, were sold today in the Merwin-Clayton salesrooms, the letters of Mark Twain brought the highest prices. The original drawings of Nast's famous cartoons will be sold tomorrow.

For a letter from James G. Blaine of January 31, 1880, protesting against a cartoon representing him as an Indian in war paint, $6 was paid. A letter from James Fenimore Cooper brought $9.50. Gen. Grant's letters to Nast sold for $18, $17, and six for $11 each.

MAYORS OF GREATER PITTSBURGH PLEDGE REFORM IN THE MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENTS

BEGAN LIFE IN JERSEY ON A SMALL SCALE AS MILKMAN
EARLY BECAME NOTED AS A FIGHTER
I QUIT!
JERSEY SWEITER
WEATHER WORKS
PLENTY WATER IN CASE OF FIRE
A LITTLE SNOW FOR HOT AIR MERCHANTS
WEATHER FOR ALL PURPOSES
HIST!
FUSSED WITH INDIANS FOR FIVE YEARS
HAS TUSSELED WITH J. PLUVIUS, BOREAS AND OTHERS SINCE '88.
TRIDSWAY

New Department Head Trained in Strenuousness.

Guthrie and Kirschler Take Oath of Office Before Big Assemblages.

CABINETS ARE SWORN

Republicans Win Notable Victory in Organization of the Pittsburgh Councils.

ELECT WALTERS AND BRAND

Mayor George W. Guthrie of Pittsburgh and Mayor Charles F. Kirschler of Allegheny were inducted into office yesterday at noon in the presence of the joint councils of the respective cities. Mayor Guthrie, in his inagural address, pledged himself to some notable municipal reforms, stating that his aim was to establish a thoroughly non-partisan government. Mayor Kirschler promised to give the people of the North Side a clean, honest, Christian government.

Both mayors announced the appointment of their department chiefs, and they were at once sworn in. Mayor Guthrie appointed James W. Clark, director of public works; Frank Ridgway, director of public safety; Dr. James P. Shaw, director of charities; William B. Rodgers, solicitor. Mayor Kirschler appointed John Swan, Jr., director of public works; Samuel J. Grenet, director of public safety; Simon Kirschler, director of charities; Richard M. Kopp, treasurer; Elliott Rodgers, solicitor; David Elphinstone, chief assessor; Robert Beck, Joseph Stewart, and George Smith assessors.

Republicans in Control.

The Republicans control both branches of the city councils of Pittsburgh for the first time in four years. They elected Dr. E. Walters president of select council and William Brand president of the common branch. They also elected E. J. Martin and Robert Clark, Republicans, city clerks.

Mayor Guthrie in his inaugural address yesterday at noon announced that he would appoint a commission to investigate all public works, including the big filtration plant which the city is building at a cost of $6,000,000. The result of this investigation, the new mayor said, would be given to the public. He explained that his reason for this investigation was to "settle any uneasiness" on the part of the public.

Mayor Guthrie did not go into details to explain what he meant by the "uneasiness of the public" or what he expected to accomplish by an investigation. This feature of his address caused more comment at City Hall than any other. The filtration plant has been in course of construction since last May and is about one-third completed.

Mr. Guthrie was sworn in at 12:15 o'clock before the joint meeting of the councils in common council chamber. An audience that filled the council chamber, the lobbies and corridors of City Hall to their capacity witnessed the ceremony. The mayor-elect was escorted from his law office in Diamond street to City Hall by a special committee of the retiring select council.

Commission for Transportation.

Mayor Guthrie was received by ex-Mayor Hays in his private office, where a committee from the joint session waited upon him and escorted him to the inauguration. This committee was composed of Councilmen Weber, Stevenson, Hirsch, O'Brien and Werner.

The Rev. Dr. J. H. McIlvaine, pastor of Calvary Protestant Episcopal church, of which Mr. Guthrie is a member, offered prayer. The oath of office was administered to Mr. Guthrie by President Walters of select, who then introduced the new mayor to councils. Mr. Guthrie, in delivering his inaugural address, spoke without manuscript. His utterances before councils did not differ materially from his prepared speech. Besides making the announcement that he would appoint a commission to investigate the public works of the city he also recommended a commission to go into the local transportation problem, particularly the question of underground street railways.

He said the better transportation facilities and protection for the public required immediate attention. Another subject which he said pressed for an immediate settlement was public lighting. The enforcement of laws for the prevention of crime and the control of vice, he asserted, was a matter that would receive early attention.

To Reduce Collector's Fee Further.

He declared the compensation of the delinquent tax collector ought to be still further reduced by councils, and said he would contract with the collector he would appoint to turn into the treasury all above expenses and reasonable compensation.

The settlement of these and other public questions, Mayor Guthrie declared, were of far more importance than the question of appointments to positions. He reaffirmed his previous declarations in favor of civil service, and in announcing the appointment of four members of his cabinet, said that other appointments would be made from time to time, with due consideration in each case and in such a manner as not to interfere with the public service.

Mayor Guthrie announced that hereafter the municipal hospital, which has been under the supervision of the department of public safety, would be attached to the department of charities.

He shook hands with many councilmen and spectators in the common council chamber after delivering his address, and then made his way to the reception room of the mayor's office, where a constant stream of visitors passed through for half an hour to congratulate the new executive of the city.

The mayor greeted each visitor with a warm handshake and a smiling "thank you." Among those who called upon him in the mayor's office before the inaugural ceremony was Alexander M. Jenkinson, Mr. Guthrie's opponent in the recent cam-

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FLIP OF A COIN GETS J. W. NEFF AN ALDERMANCY

Sporting Spirit of Aspirant's Friends Releases Senator Wilbert from Tight Place.

The flip of a coin decided who was to be the alderman of the Thirteenth ward to succeed Emil Sparr, deceased. J. William Neff is the lucky man. He was appointed by Gov. Pennypacker yesterday and his commission will probably arrive today. Of course, it wasn't the governor who tossed the coin. He knew nothing about it.

There were two candidates for the vacant place, Neff and Christian Wolf. Wolf was indorsed by the Republican organization, but Neff belongs to the Magee faction of the party, and was thus doubly acceptable to Senator D. A. Wilbert, whose indorsement was required before the governor would make the appointment.

However, the senator did not care to go directly against the express wish of the organization, and he likes Wolf, anyhow. So he said he would let Neff and Wolf themselves decide who was to be the man. The friends of both got together and somebody suggested that a coin be flipped. A penny was thrown into the air, Neff called "tails," Wolf said "heads." Tails won, and Wilbert gave his indorsement accordingly.

INTO THE LAP OF LUXURY.

Waif Is Adopted by Wealthy Parents and Is Now Heir to About Five Million.

NEW YORK, April 2.—(Special.)—The beautiful baby boy advertised two weeks ago by Dr. John Wilson Gibbs for adoption has found its foster parents—a wealthy lawyer and his wife, who live on the upper west side. More than a score of childless couples wanted to take the child.

The mother, a cultured English girl of rare beauty, returned to England last week in response to a peremptory command from her parents. She will never see her child again. If the boy lives he will inherit a fortune of between $4,000,000 and $5,000,000.

THINNING RANKS OF BLUE.

Grand Army Posts Disband in Homestead Because of Death's Ravages Among Members.

Death has so thinned the ranks of old soldiers in Homestead that there is now no post of the G. A. R. in the borough to conduct memorial services, a fact that was brought to the attention of Homestead people by a meeting of a small number of the civil war survivors yesterday.

During the year the two posts of the borough, Carnegie post No. 635, and Gen. Charles Griffin post No. 519, disbanded. Some of the members from both posts met yesterday, however, and arranged to conduct memorial services.

Nothing but Napkins to Eat.

BRIDGEPORT, CONN., April 2.—(Special.)—Mayor Reynolds, State Senator Brown and a dozen city officials were the victims of an elaborate All Fool's day joke, attending a banquet to which they were invited, only to find an elaborately-set table, on which there was no food, unless they cared to eat the napkins.

Premonition of Death Comes True.

MOUNT VERNON, N. Y., April 2.—(Special.)—The premonition that Julius Schleffinger of Yonkers had early today that he would be killed, came true, a heavy truck he was driving upsetting and falling on him, breaking his neck.

ACCUSE ELECTRICIAN OF STEALING SUPPLIES

Doubleday-Hill Co. Has Former Clerk Arrested Charged With Theft.

Charged by the Doubleday-Hill Electric Company with the theft of valuable electrical supplies, and by the Central Automobile Company with stealing tires worth $500, W. H. Fowzer, an electrician of McCandless avenue and Holmes street, was arrested last night by Constable Killan of Alderman Negley's office and was lodged in jail. Denton Fries, an express driver, who is alleged to have aided in removing the stolen goods, was also arrested but was released on $500 bail.

It is said that goods valued at $2,000 were found in Fowzer's room when he was arrested. He is alleged to have secured the stuff last July while acting as a clerk for the Doubleday-Hill company. He is said to have sold five electric coils valued at $300 to the Central Automobile Company, and then to have taken them and the tires, worth $500.

DOG CAUSES TROUBLE.

Fashionable Bellevue All Agog Over Dispute of Ownership Which Is Aired in Burgess' Office.

Fashionable Bellevue was treated to a rare sight last night, when men of that town had a dispute over the ownership of a dog. The much desired animal is a fox terrier, and J. F. Streib and O. L. Garwood were walking up Lincoln avenue with him on a string, when J. G. Dolman happened along and grabbed him by the hind legs. A tug of war, interspersed by emphatic claims to ownership on the part of all the gentlemen, soon collected a crowd. Officers Hall and Brown hove in sight.

Dolman claimed the dog was his and had been stolen, and requested that the matter be submitted to the burgess. This was done, but the burgess did not have the wisdom of Solomon, and as the dog responded to any name, could not settle the ownership. The case will be reopened on Friday night. Meanwhile Streib has the dog.

FIRST BRIDE BUT ALSO SIXTH.

Ugliest man in the Mountains, After Five Marriages, Returns to His Original Love.

OWINGSVILLE, KY., April 2.—William Tell Tolson, of Campton has just married for the sixth time, his latest bride being the wife he first married more than 20 years ago. It is his wife's fourth marriage. Five of Tolson's wives are living, he having divorced them all.

Mrs. Tolson's third husband, James Johnson died some time ago, and Mrs. Johnson went to Campton to visit her daughter, born while the mother was Mrs. Tolson. She met Mr. Tolson, and the two were once more married. Tolson rejoices in his reputation of being the ugliest man in the mountains.

PRISONER'S DOCK AS GOOD AS THE SENATE TO HIM

SPRINGFIELD, MASS., April 2.—(Special.)—At the Jefferson banquet of the W. L. Douglas club tonight, ex-Congressman John R. Thayer of Worcester, said: "A United States senator said to me: 'Thayer, it is so rotten in Washington that when the roll is called in congress I don't know whether to say 'present' or 'not guilty.'"

President Opens Tennis Season.

WASHINGTON, April 2.—(Special.)—President Roosevelt and Ambassador Jusserand today opened the tennis season in Washington. Murray, assistant secretary of commerce and James R. Garfield, commissioner of corporations, were their opponents. The President wore an old black sweater and a black soft hat.

HERO OFFERS LIFE TO SAVE HIS BROTHER

Little Lad Tries to Drag Playmate from Deadly Grasp of Electric Wire, but Fails.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

ZANESVILLE, O., April 2.—In trying to save his 9-year-old brother Paul from electrocution by a live wire at the Grant school house in Putnam this afternoon, Carl Urban, 12 years old, was instantly killed by the current, and the younger brother was probably fatally shocked. The accident caused a panic among the other pupils and school had to be dismissed.

A guy wire of a telephone line had fallen across the trolley wire of the street car line, and the loose end dangled in the school ward. The wire had been there since last Thursday, unnoticed by any save the children.

The boys amused themselves by touching the wire and receiving a slight shock and challenging others to touch the wire. Little Paul Urban grasped the wire this afternoon, and when he discovered that he could not let go he began to scream. His brother Carl ran to his assistance and seizing the child about the waist tried to pull him away from the wire.

In the attempt he stepped backward into a pool of water. A heavy current at once ran through his body and he was killed instantly. Paul received a shock and burns that are expected to cause his death. The terror-stricken children who saw the accident rushed into the school house and told the teachers of what had happened.

CORONER FINDS MURDER.

Learns That Lockport Man Was Shot Through Heart in Fight Over Ownership of Watch.

GREENSBURG, PA., April 2.—(Special.)—Roy Hileman, whose dead body was found beside the tracks of the Pennsylvania railroad at Conemaugh furnace this evening, and who was supposed to have been killed by falling from a train, was by merest accident discovered to be the victim of a murder. Hileman, who was 24 years old and unmarried, was a Pennsylvania railroad man and lived at Lockport. Coroner Wynn examined the body and was about to pronounce death an accident when he discovered a bullet wound just below the armpit. He found that a 38-caliber bullet had passed through the heart.

Hileman and L. J. Conohan, a trackwalker, quarreled over a watch. Hileman, it is said, seized the watch and boarded a passing freight train. According to the testimony Conohan whipped out a revolver and fired five shots at Hileman. Conohan swam across the river to Indiana county. Officers of that county have been notified.

RECEIVES BEATING FOR SAVING A MAN'S LIFE

NEW HAVEN, CONN., April 2.—(Special.)—Burt H. Russell, a brakeman, was fined $15 today for assaulting Mrs. Fannie Spangler, who had saved his life. He fell asleep while smoking and set his bed clothes afire. Mrs Spangler, his landlady, rushed in and threw a pail of water on the flames, extinguishing them. Russell then beat her.

Lives 100 Years on the Farm.

UPPER SANDUSKY, O., April 2.—Mrs. Sarah Morris after living within two weeks of 102 years went to sleep Saturday morning in apparent good health and could not be aroused later. She died late last night. She was never ill and never wore glasses. She had lived a century on the farm where she died.

REPUBLICANS WIN BOTH COUNCILS

Walters Defeats Burns and Brand Beats McKelvey in Exciting Contests.

CLARK'S THREATS OF NO AVAIL

The Republicans won a decisive and sweeping victory in the fight for control of the new councils yesterday by electing their candidates for presidents and clerks in both branches, this triumph being achieved against the most strenuous opposition of the newly appointed director of public works, James W. Clark, who is alleged to have promised appointments and threatened to discharge employes now on the payroll to get the votes of councilmen.

Dr. E. R. Walters of the Twentieth ward was elected president of select council over Dr. H. B. Burns of the Eleventh ward, by a vote of 21 to 18. William Brand of the Seventeenth ward defeated John J. McKelvey of the Tenth ward for president of common council, Brand receiving 28 votes and McKelvey 25. The Republican candidates for city and assistant city clerks were elected, Edward J. Martin as city clerk and Robert Clark as assistant, defeating the present clerks, H. W. Minnemeyer, Jr., and John E. Gable. Martin and Clark won by large majorities.

Received Letters from Clark.

A number of councilmen claim to have received letters from Director Clark notifying them that if they did not vote for the administration candidates their friends or relatives on the city payroll would be discharged. The contest for presidents of the two branches was made close enough to be exciting.

Four members of common council voted for McKelvey for president who had signed a pledge to support Brand. The four members who deserted Brand are N. F. Savage of the Twenty-first ward, John A. Marohn of the Thirteenth ward, T. J. Moran of the Fourteenth ward and Frank E. Gould of the Thirty-fifth ward.

The election of Edward J. Martin as city clerk was a surprise. Martin had half a dozen friends of the upper branch who were pledged to stand by him through thick and thin. They are said to have threatened to make trouble for the Republican slate, endangering the chances of both Dr. Walters for president of select and Robert Clark, the Republican candidate for assistant clerk.

Martin Substituted for Minnemeyer.

A compromise was therefore agreed upon which meant the sacrifice of H. W. Minnemeyer, Jr., for whom former Director Bigelow stood sponsor. Some objections were made to Minnemeyer on the grounds that his political affiliations with Bigelow were too close.

Director Clark withdrew J. L. Lowry of the Twentieth ward as a candidate and staked his all on Gable, using him as a candidate first for city clerk and then assistant. For the first job Gable was defeated by Martin by a vote of 61 to 30. For the second place Clark defeated Gable by 51 to 31 on the first ballot, 10 other votes being cast for a third candidate.

The organization of councils, followed by the inauguration of the mayor, was attended probably by the largest crowd that ever assembled in City Hall. The corridors, lobbies and council chambers were crowded with members, city officials and spectators. Both council chambers were decorated with ferns, palms and flowers and the desks of many members were adorned by floral tributes from their constituents.

Walters and Brand Win.

The organization of the new councils was set for 10 o'clock. It was shortly after that time when select council convened. Pending the election of the president City Clerk Minnemeyer presided. He introduced the Rev. S. Edward Young, who delivered an invocation. The clerk then read the certificates of election of the new members from the prothonotary, omitting the name of D. J. McGarey of the Twenty-sixth ward, whose election is in dispute owing to a typographical error in the tickets. Exclusive of McGarey the full membership was present.

A majority of the members elected—21—was necessary to elect a president. Charles Stewart nominated Dr. Walters, W. H. Stevenson presented the name of Dr. Burns. The following was the result of the ballot, Dr. Walters winning by a majority of three votes over Dr. Burns, but without a single vote to spare above the legal majority:

For Walters—Atkinson, Burns, Cavett, Edwards, Frederick, Friedman, Hermes, Kenna, Hughes, Lennox, Linn, Manion, Metcalf, McCartney, Pfister, Schad, Stewart, Toole, Webber, Williams, Zollinger—21.

For Burns—Casserly, Gallagher, Hawkins, Hoffman, Hogue, Howarth, Kearns, Kohne, Meyer, William McKelvey, W. H. McKelvey, Pfannkuch, Schlernitzauer, Stevenson, Sweeney, Taylor, Tilbury, Walters—18.

The announcement of Dr. Walters' election was greeted with cheers from spectators and councilmen. He was escorted to the chair by S. C. Lennox, C. C. Williams and Charles Stewart. President Walters made a brief speech, thanking the body and stating it would be his aim to assist the administration in every act that was for the good of the people.

It was 10:45 o'clock when common council convened. The entire membership of the body, 56 men and 53 votes, was present. The four members from the Fortieth ward, formerly Esplen borough, have jointly one vote. After the reading of the election certificates, nominations for president were made. Charles Gulland nominated William Brand, the nomination being seconded by J. C. Wasson. Dr. Paul E. Franklin, a new member from the Fourteenth ward, nominated John J. McKelvey. Samuel Shenkan seconded McKelvey's nomination.

There was suppressed excitement during the roll call, the candidates being tied several times near the end. Finally Brand made a spurt and won by a margin of three votes. When the clerk announced the result lusty cheers broke out. Before the election of Brand the news of Dr. Walters' victory in select had reached common council, and the Republicans were jubilant when Brand's success followed. The vote was as follows:

For Brand—Barton, Bergman, Burke, Clinton, Crommiller, Ferguson, Frankel, Gulland, Hirsch, Klein, Lennix, Liggett, Martin, Melaney, Miller, McBride, McKelvey, O'Brien, Ross, Schreiber, Semmelrock, Shevlin, Simon, Soffel, Stockdale, Wasson, Werner, Dietrich, Gray, Kidd, Sutherland—28.

For McKelvey—Anderson, Baldauf, Blessing, Bockstoce, Bonini, Brand, Collins, Forrest, Franklin, Gould, Hooper, Kenna, Lenz, Marohn, Mathias, Moran, Mullany, McGrath, McMorris, O'Donnell, Savage, Shenkan, Sullivan, Tanney, Wallace—25.

Brand Makes a Speech.

President Brand was escorted to the chair by Messrs. Wasson, McKelvey and Gulland. He began his speech by declaring "the time had come for the comedy of errors to cease." This evoked applause.

Mr. Brand expressed his gratitude for the honor and said he desired to solicit the support of every member to represent the people, and to bring the government of the city up to the standard that Pittsburgh had attained in manufacturing enterprise and commercial supremacy throughout the world. He said the only duty of the council was to act honestly, fairly and judiciously in all its proceedings.

Mr. Brand appointed Messrs. Wasson, Bockstoce and Semmelrock as a committee to notify select council that the common branch was ready to go into joint session to elect city clerks. It was 11:30 o'clock when the two bodies entered joint session. President Walters of select presided.

For city clerk Dr. W. H. Weber nominated H. W. Minnemeyer, Jr., David Barton nominated W. C. Gearing, former assistant city clerk. Patrick Manion nominated Edward J. Martin, former city clerk. John Taylor nominated John E. Gable. Upon the motion of W. H. Stevenson councils voted that after each ballot the name of the lowest candidate should be withdrawn. Three ballots were required.

On the first ballot Minnemeyer received 23 votes, Gearing 5, Martin 36, Gable 28. On the second ballot Gearing was dropped and Minnemeyer received 29 votes, Martin 45 and Gable 27. Minnemeyer then dropped out of the contest, his votes going to Martin. On the third and last ballot, Martin got 61 votes and Gable 30, the members voting as follows:

For Martin—Select—Atkinson, Cavett, Edwards, Frederick, Friedman, Gallagher, Hoffman, Hughes, Kearns, Lennox, Linn, Manion, Metcalf, McCartney, William McKelvey, Pfannkuch, Pfister, Schad, Schlernitzauer, Stewart, Sweeney, Toole, Walters, Weber, Williams, Common—Anderson, Barton, Bergmann, Blessing, Brand, Burke, Crommiller, Ferguson, Franklin, Gould, Gulland, Hooper, Hirsch, Klein, Lennix, Liggett, Marohn, Mathias, Martin, Melaney, Miller, Moran, McBride, McKelvey, O'Donnell, Ross, Schreiber, Semmelrock, Shevlin, Simon, Soffel, Stockdale, Sullivan, Tanney, Wasson, Werner—61.

For Gable—Select—Burns, Casserly, Hawkins, Hermes, Edward Kenna, Hogue, Howarth, Kohne, Meyer, W. H. McKelvy, Stevenson, Taylor, Tilbury, Zollinger. Common—Baldauf, Bockstoce, Bonini, Clinton, Collins, Forrest, Frankel, Bernard Kenna, Mullany, McGrath, McMorris, O'Brien, Savage, Shenkan, Wallace, Dietrich, Gray, Kidd, Sutherland—30.

Clark Wins on First Ballot.

For assistant clerk Stevenson nominated Gable, Soffel nominated Clark and William Schreiber presented the name of W. W. Johnstone of the Thirty-sixth ward. Only one ballot was taken, Clark receiving a majority of all cast.

For Gable—Select—Burns, Friedman, Gallagher, Hawkins, Hermes, Edward Kenna, Hoffman, Hogue, Howarth, Hughes, Kohne, Meyer, William McKelvey, Schlernitzauer, Stevenson, Taylor, Tilbury, Weber. Common—Bockstoce, Collins, Forrest, Frankel, Franklin, Bernard Kenna, Mathias, Moran, McBride, McMorris, O'Brien, O'Donnell, Sullivan—31.

For Clark—Select—Atkinson, Casserly, Edwards, Frederick, Kearns, Lennox, Linn, Manion, Metcalf, McCartney, W. H. McKelvy, Pfannkuch, Foster, Schad, Stewart, Sweeney, Toole, Walters, Zollinger. Common—Anderson, Baldauf, Barton, Bergmann, Blessing, Bonini, Brand, Burke, Ferguson, Gulland, Hirsch, Klein, Lenz, Lennix, Liggett, Marohn, Martin, Melaney, Miller, Mullany, McGrath, McKelvey, Ross, Savage, Semmelrock, Shevlin, Simon, Soffel, Stockdale, Wasson, Werner, Dietrich, Gray, Kidd, Sutherland—31.

Both branches of councils afterward met in separate session and ratified the action of the joint body. Each branch appointed committees to revise the rules and to allot the seats.

Select council will, it is believed, hold night sessions instead of afternoon meetings. The two new city clerks were sworn in immediately and have begun their duties. The election of Robert Clark as assistant creates a vacancy in the position of recording clerk in the city clerk's office, which Clark formerly held for many years. It pays a salary of $1,800 a year.

Every Man Can Select His Sunday.

PORTLAND, ME., April 2.—(Special.)—The city marshal of Portland has decided that anyone may keep his store open on Sunday if he keep any other day in the week as Sabbath. Citizens may pick out their own Sabbath and observe it in their own way.

OCEAN INTELLIGENCE.

Arrived, April 2.

New York—Vaderland, from Antwerp and Dover; steamer Cufic, Liverpool.

Bremen—Main, Baltimore; Gneisenau, New York, via Halifax and Cherbourg.

Gibraltar—Weimar, New York, via Halifax, for Naples.

Manchester—Bostonian, Boston.

Cherbourg—Kaiser Wilhelm II., New York, via Plymouth for Bremen.

Plymouth—Kaiser Wilhelm II., from New York.

Antwerp—Menominee, Philadelphia, via London.

Glasgow—Steamers Tritonia, St. John, N. B., via Liverpool; April 1, Columbia, New York, via Moville.

Hamburg—Patricia, New York, via Dover; April 1, Bluecher, New York, via Plymouth and Cherbourg.

Sailed, April 2.

Glasgow—Laurentian, St. Johns, N. F., Halifax and Philadelphia.

Havre—La Gascogne, New York.

Boulogne—Noordam, New York (not previously); Pennsylvania, New York.

Naples—Carpathia (from Trieste, Piume and Palermo), New York; 7 p. m., Prinz Oskar (from Genoa and Palermo), New York.

Naples—Algeria, New York.

Bremen—Seydlitz, New York.

Dover—Kroonland, New York.

Passed, April 2.

Slaseonsell—Steamer Potsdam, Rotterdam and Boulogne, for New York, 130 miles east of Nantucket lightship, at 4 p. m. Will probably dock about 4 p. m. Tuesday.

Gibraltar, April 1—Citta di Palermo, Genoa, Leghorn and Marseilles, for New York.

Sable Island, N. S.—Steamer Carmania, Liverpool and Queenstown, for New York; in communication with the Marconi station 770 miles east of Sandy Hook at 11 a. m. Will probably dock about 2 p. m. Wednesday.

Steamer Kronprinz Wilhelm, Bremen, Southampton and Cherbourg, for New York, in communication with the Marconi station when she was 830 miles east of Sandy Hook at noon. Will probably dock about 8 p. m., Tuesday.

Newport, R. I.—Steamer Cevic, Liverpool, for New York, passed Nantucket light at 1:20 p. m. Will probably dock about 8:30 a. m., Tuesday.

Lizard—Steamer Zeeland, New York, for Dover and Antwerp, reported 60 miles west at 8:20 a. m. Will probably reach Dover about 8 a. m., Tuesday.

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

NIXON—"The Prince of India," 8 p. m.

BELASCO—Bertha Galland as "Sweet Kitty Bellairs," 8:15 p. m.

ALVIN—"Arizona," 2 and 8 p. m.

GRAND—Continuous vaudeville bill of 15 acts, headed by Rose Coghlan and company, 1:30 to 10:45 p. m.

GAYETY—The Bon Ton Burlesquers in burlesque and vaudeville, 2 and 8 p. m.

WILLIAMS' ACADEMY—The Dreamland burlesquers, 2 and 8 p. m.

EMPIRE—Kathryn Purnell in "Carmen," 8:15 p. m.

SCHENLEY ASSEMBLY—Concert by the Amherst Glee, Mandolin and Banjo clubs, 8:15 p. m.

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$350 Victor, beautiful mahogany case, colonial style, fine tone quality, like new..... 225
$600 Steger, used several years, thoroughly renovated, and now in perfect condition. One of the highest grade pianos at just one-half price..... 300

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The meat when served is whiter, even the dark meat is lighter, the joints are loose, but the most noticeable difference is in the juiciness of the meat. Few fowl were cooked and when served they were "as juicy as an oyster and sweet as a nut."

This innovation in Milk-fed Poultry is not original in this country, both France and England having shown a fondness for it before America woke up to its charms, but today in New York and Chicago Premium Milk-fed chicken has lots of friends.

This demonstration at McCann Company's new store is given by Swift & Co., of Chicago, who have made quite a study of it, and whose fowls under this treatment are on sale at McCann's, where every detail of raising and feeding is not only seen but thoroughly explained to the large throng of inquirers by a Chicago woman in charge of this exhibit. It will last for about 10 days more, and is well worth a visit to see and hear how wonderfully a chicken can be literally "made over" under scientific treatment.

MINERS OBJECT TO CONSTABULARY

In Pennsylvania and Other Bituminous Fields Negotiations Are Progressing.

MITCHELL TAKES ROSY VIEW

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

IRWIN, PA., April 2.—One thousand men at Edna No. 1 and No. 2 of the Pittsburgh and Baltimore Coal Company, three miles south of Irwin, are on strike. This morning 300 miners in the latter colliery refused to go to work, and a few hours later both mines were tied up. This was the result of a big meeting held at Edna No. 2 yesterday afternoon. The men decided to make a demand for the scale prevailing elsewhere, an eight-hour day and pay for removing the slate. The Mine Workers' officials say they have a strong organization at the Edna mines. The company agreed to give the 5 cents advance along with the rest of the operators in the Irwin field. These mines, though, use the inch and a quarter screen instead of the three-quarter inch screen used in the rest of the field. The five cents advance, the union officials say, brings the scale up to only 85 cents a ton, five cents below the scale adopted.

The company this afternoon called for 12 guards from a Pittsburgh agency. They arrived this evening and will be sworn in as deputies. The company, it is said, will try to operate its mines tomorrow. The guards employed by the Penn Gas Coal Company are doing police duty, keeping the strikers off company property and the railroad.

Reports this evening were received from all the mines in the field. The Westmoreland Coal Company, the Ocean Coal Company of Herminie, the Madison group of the Keystone Coal Company, the Pittsburgh and Westmoreland Coal Company, near Manor and the mine at Pleasant valley, report that all their men were at work today and production was up to the average.

Protest Against Constabulary.

CLEARFEILD, PA., April 2.—At today's session of the United Mine Workers' district convention a resolution was offered protesting against the continuance of the act maintaining the state constabulary. The act was strongly denounced, the resolution declaring that it was established in the mining districts for the express use of the corporations of the state, thus relieving the corporations of expense. The resolution urged the miners to work and vote for the repeal of the act.

The sub-scale committee has reported that it was ready to meet the general scale committee and the work of formulating a scale and working conditions to govern the year will be taken up tomorrow. National Secretary W. B. Wilson arrived today and is assisting the convention in its work. Throughout the entire district a general suspension of work was reported today. The situation tonight indicates "no strike and a substantial increase for the miners" when they meet the operators in joint conference.

BEAVER FALLS, PA., April 2.—The coal operators in the Beaver county district have signed the scale of 1903 and this morning the men continued at work.

DUBOIS, PA., April 2.—The third day's session of the seventeenth annual convention of district No. 2, United Mine Workers, was devoted to discussing a resolution condemning the state constabulary law, which was finally adopted.

It was decided to allow engineers, firemen and pumpmen to work during the suspension and also to allow repair work to be done, but no coal whatever shall be mined. The scale committee reported the scale will not be made public until the joint conference with the operators tomorrow morning.

Willing to Sign 1903 Scale.

SALINEVILLE, O., April 2.—It has been reported that several of the small operators are willing to sign the new scale, but they have not learned the exact demands the miners will make, and will not commit themselves. The miners will hold a mass meeting Tuesday.

ALLIANCE, O., April 2.—Seventeen hundred miners, employed at 15 mines along the Lake Shore, Alliance & Wheeling railroad, are out pending a settlement of the scale question. No trouble is feared, and owing to the competition of the Pittsburgh district, it is believed the men will be granted their demands and return to work soon.

MASSILLON, O., April 2.—Card & Parsons, owning five coal mines and employing 400 miners, have asked President Robert Legg of the miners' union for the privilege of signing the 1903 scale of wages. The company says it does not want to lose one day's work at the mines. Other operators are expected to follow. The annual convention of the miners of the Massillon district will be held here Tuesday and Wednesday. President Robert Le[illegible] is a candidate for re-election, and [illegible] is assured of the office. His election means a speedy settlement of all differences between the miners and operators.

NEW YORK, April 2.—President Mitchell appeared in a cheerful mood when spoken to regarding the bituminous situation. He said everything in the soft coal fields is working out to the satisfaction of himself and the miners in that territory. He said that more than 100,000 soft coal miners had already been granted the 1903 scale, and predicted that by the end of the week fully 80 per cent of the bituminous workers will have been given the 5.56 advance in wages. He thought that within 45 days every soft coal mine where the men are organized, will be working on a union basis.

CLEVELAND, O., April 2.—Forty operators representing eastern and central Ohio coal companies held a meeting here this afternoon and after declaring their intention of refusing to operate any of their mines passed resolutions condemning the action of F. L. Robbins of the Pittsburgh Coal Company, and independent operators of the Pittsburgh district.

Not a mine in Ohio will resume operations until orders have been given out by a committee to be named at a meeting of the operators to be held in this city this week, probably Friday.

"It is certain that we will not operate our mines under the increased scale, no matter what action should be taken at the state meeting," said P. H. McBride, secretary of the eastern Ohio vein operators, after the meeting, "and the main object of the state meeting is to appoint a committee to conduct negotiations with the miners and the operators of other states. The question of withdrawing from the interstate agreements may also be taken up."

WHEELING, W. VA., April 2.—Tonight the Hitchman Coal Company, whose mines at Benwood supply fuel to the Baltimore & Ohio system, announced that it would pay the United Mine Workers' scale and resume work this week.

JOHNSTOWN, PA., April 2.—So great is the apprehension of trouble at Windber between the union and non-union miners, the latter employed in the mines of the Berwind-White Company, that this company today sent to Clearfield for 100 of the old Coal and Iron police to guard the mines and protect the miners employed therein from violence should any be offered. Some of these guards will also be employed for similar purposes at the company's mines in other localities.

General Manager Crist of the Berwind-White Coal Mining Company, tonight emphatically denied that any coal and iron police are being imported into Windber to care for the property of the company and its miners who desire to work.

Windber today was the scene of great excitement among the miners. Organizer Joseph Ginter of the United Mine Workers of America declared several days ago that he had thoroughly organized the 5,000 men employed by the Berwind-White Company, and that this would be shown today in a parade which he had arranged. Almost 2,500 miners, all company men, were in line. This was accepted as evidence that Organizer Ginter had made good his claims, and that the miners in Windber are ready for a long fight for recognition of the union.

At the request of citizens Judge Kooser of Somerset county ordered all the saloons closed.

Buffalo Has $150,000 Fire.

BUFFALO, N. Y., April 3.—Fire early this morning destroyed the building occupied by the Buffalo Times and the Courier Printing Company, causing a loss of $150,000.

OPERATORS BEGIN FIGHT

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session two hours. The session was an executive one, and after adjournment the statement was given out that all were a unit in refusing to sign the new scale, and that mines employing 25,000 men and having an output of 20,000,000 tons last year, would be closed this morning. Another meeting is to be held soon, at the call of the chairman, George A. Magoon, Ohio operators meet in Cleveland today. They have already informed the local Independents that they will act likewise, while the same assurance was received from the Illinois and Ohio fields.

Delegates to the adjourned district convention of mine workers, in session in Moorhead hall, spent all day yesterday in an effort to secure the report of the tellers in the recent special election held to select officers to succeed those deposed with Patrick Dolan. This report, which still remains unannounced, is as follows: For president, Frank Feehan, 5,349, Edward McKay, 2,151; vice president, James Clark, 2,820, G. S. Fisher, 1,163; secretary-treasurer, John Hurley, 2,286, Tim Donovan, 1,555; elected on district executive board, Steven Wetzel, A. J. Kwaterski, Frank Choura, A. L. Davis, James Dailey, William Booth, Thomas Sheehan, George Black and John Metcalf. There were 56 candidates for district board officers, with nine to elect.

After repeated efforts to get this report the tellers announced yesterday afternoon that the report was complete, but that they feared to announce it on the ground that it might be in contradiction to the injunction obtained by Dolan from the courts, preventing interference in the discharge of his duties.

Result Was Not Announced.

The convention assured the teller sthat it would provide financial aid to keep the mout of jail, if necessary, and at 4 o'clock they began reading the report by individual locals. This will require four hours, and at adjournment but a few of the results from locals had been read. The general result was not announced. John Sharp of the national executive board, presided over the session, Matthew Kerrigan, the chairman of the Saturday session, declaring that he had had enough.

This morning Patrick Dolan avers he will take the chair, having been absent from the sessions since his return from Indianapolis. A very stormy session is expected, for it is believed that Dolan will take the stand that the report of the tellers is irregular, and will make great efforts to keep it out. However, he has announced that he will not only oppose the election of Feehan, on the ground that he is not in good standing, but will resort to the courts to have him enjoined from taking office. What action this will have upon the district organization generally, is problematical, but the result is being awaited with keen interest, especially by the independent operators, who today close down their mines.

National Vice President Thomas L. Lewis was in Charleroi last night and will be in the Irwin field this morning, in an effort to organize the striking miners in that field. This afternoon, according to plans laid last night, he will be called to Pittsburgh to be present during "developments" which are expected to follow Dolan's efforts in the convention, and to take a hand in the fight among the operators. It will be remembered with interest that Lewis led the attack against Mitchell in the fight to grant individual operators the right to sign individual scales.

In Other States.

A telegram to The Gazette from Indianapolis states that information received at the national headquarters of the United Mine Workers of America indicates that the strike of soft coal miners will not be extensive for any length of time, many operators already having expressed a willingness to grant the increased wages asked by the miners' union. As today was a holiday, nothing definite was done to determine the exact status of the situation. Tomorrow much may be accomplished to show how affairs stand between operators and miners in the soft coal fields.

The situation is as follows:

Indiana—Nearly all operators in the south end of the state and many in the center will sign the advance wage scale according to the miners; but the operators' chairman says only a few will grant the advance. All mines are idle.

Ohio—Six coal companies have declared their willingness to pay the 1903 scale. These companies control one-sixth of the total output of the state. A number of other operators have intimated that they may pay the 1903 scale.

Illinois—Many mines will be in operation today. Operators all over the state have expressed a willingness to sign the 1903 scale.

West Virginia—No strike on.

Southwestern district—All the coal mines of Kansas, Missouri, Texas, Arkansas, Indian territory and Oklahoma are idle, the 25,000 miners having struck. It is expected that numerous operators will sign the scale, although none has done so yet.

PLANTS MONEY UNDER STEPS.

An Errand Boy Confesses to Stealing Pocketbook With $260 and Is Arrested.

Howard Macklin, an errand boy, employed by J. C. Anderson, a druggist at Forbes street and Meyran avenue, was arrested at 11:30 o'clock last night by Officers Patrick Grogan and William Travis, at his home, 2426 Fifth avenue as a suspicious person. Macklin, who is 12 years old, had been employed by Mr. Anderson for the past four days as an errand boy and assistant at the soda water fountain. The boy was left in charge of the fountain last night while the clerk went to supper. Shortly after the clerk returned he discovered that a pocketbook containing $300 had disappeared.

When Macklin did not return to work the police were notified. The two officers above stated went to the home of the lad, and under the front steps found the pocketbook. It contained $260. Then they arrested the lad who confessed to taking the money. He said that he hid the pocketbook under the steps after he got home, and that he did not know how much money was in it. He was taken to No. 4 station house.

MURDERERS ARE DOOMED.

Man, Who Pleads Guilty, Gets Life Sentence While Others Will Hear Theirs Today.

WARREN, PA., April 2.—(Special.)—This morning, in a special session, Judge W. M. Lindsay, refused a new trial to Frank Gerardi, Peitro Nataro and Antonio Frucci. The men were convicted of the murder of a fellow countryman at Tiano, Pa., February 11. They will be sentenced tomorrow.

WARREN, O., April 2.—(Special.)—Charles Daigen, the confessed murderer of R. K. Lewis, of West Farmington, was this afternoon arraigned before Judge Roberts and entered a plea of guilty to murder in the second degree. He was sentenced to serve the remainder of his life in the penitentiary. Lewis was assaulted in his own home on the night of Jan. 19, last, and killed by a blow on the head with a club.

Police Honor Supt. Glenn.

In honor of his reappointment, and as evidence of the esteem in which he is held, Superintendent John Glenn of the Allegheny police was presented with a magnificent badge last night by members of the North Side police bureau. It is of solid gold, and a single diamond, about a carat in size, is set in an eagle at the top. On the front side is the name of Superintendent Glenn and the seal of the city, which is a work of art. On the back are the words, "Presented by the police department, April 2, 1906."

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REV. DR. RUSSELL GETS A GILT-EDGED GIFT

In Bidding Him "God Speed" Congregation Gives Him $10,000 in Bonds.

A congregational social and reception, at which over 1,000 people were present, was tendered to the Rev. Robert McWatty Russell, D. D., and his wife, last night in the Sixth United Presbyterian church, North Highland avenue. It was the final reception to the congregation's beloved pastor, and at its close he was presented with $10,000 worth of gilt-edged bonds.

Before the reception proper, the congregation assembled in the large auditorium of the church and after an organ concert, adjourned to the Sabbath-school room, where Dr. Russell, Mrs. Russell, Robert McWatty Russell, Jr., and Mrs. Samuel Mahood, and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Armstrong received the guests.

The reception lasted for over two hours, and at its close refreshments were served. The rooms were handsomely decorated with tropical plants, palms and Easter flowers predominating, and hidden in a mass of foliage was an orchestra that enlivened the reception with sacred and classical music.

Just before the refreshments were served, devotional exercises were lead by Samuel Young. At their close Mr. Mahood arose and in a feeling speech presented Dr. Russell $10,000 in bonds as a personal gift from the congregation. Dr. Russell sat for a moment dumbfounded, and when he arose was hardly able to speak. Gathering himself together, he thanked his old congregation for their kindness and told them they would never be out of his thoughts or prayers.

Dr. Russell and his wife will make a tour of the eastern colleges before he assumes his position as president of Westminister college.

ANTHRACITE MINERS QUIT WORK AS ORDERED

No Hard Coal Mined Except in One Colliery—Mitchell Meets the Operators Today.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

PHILADELPHIA, April 2.—There was a complete suspension of mining operations in the anthracite region today, in accordance with the order issued last week by President Mitchell of the United Mine Workers of America and the scale committee of that organization, with the solitary exception of the Oxford colliery, a small independent operation near Scranton, which employs about 500 hands, with a daily capacity of about 1,200 tons. This mine was kept in operation during the strike of 1902.

Telegrams from Reading, Scranton, Wilkes-Barre, Mahanoy City, Tamaqua and all other towns in the anthracite region confirm these statements.

Significance is attached by the miners to the fact that there is no apparent attempt on the part of the operators to import non-union labor, which they regard as a favorable sign.

During the day, in several of the districts, groups of men picketed the approaches to the collieries, but their presence was unnecessary.

There are 360 collieries in the anthracite region, employing 160,000 men and boys. Miners' officials tonight estimated the number of mine workers who obeyed the order to suspend operations at 143,000. This leaves 17,000 who are allowed to work to prevent flooding in the mines.

The only disturbance that marked the closing of the mines today, occurred at Moosic, a small town near Scranton, where John Shepherd, a civil engineer at the Consolidated colliery of the Pennsylvania Coal Company, was shot in the hip by Anthony Coplisk, a mine worker. Coplisk had an argument with a mine guard during which he shot at the latter. The bullet went wild and struck Shepherd, who was standing near by.

During the day squads of the state constabulary, a police body organized under an act of the last legislature, patrolled various sections of the coal regions, but found no disorder.

NEW YORK, April 2.—The eve of the second meeting of the committees representing the anthracite mine workers and their employers finds the situation in the hard coal fields unchanged from that disclosed in the communications between the contending forces. There is a feeling among those vitally interested in the struggle that some way out of the present difficulty will be found.

President Mitchell arrived here tonight from Indianapolis, accompanied by his secretary and Thomas Haggerty, of the Central Pennsylvania district of the miners' union, who is a member of the international executive board.

Tomorrow's meeting between the subcommittee of the miners and the operators will be held at noon, and is expected to be of short duration. It is believed that nothing will be definitely agreed upon. The program for tomorrow, as outlined by the operators, is to renew the counter proposition made to the miners early in March, that is, the continuation for another term of three years of the award of the anthracite strike commission. The operators, it is understood, will not make any extended argument, but will content themselves with calling attention to the reasons they set forth in their reply to the miners' general demands. The employers, however, do not expect the miners' representatives to accept the proposition, or even consider it at the present time, but rather expect the union leaders to renew their original demands. If this program is followed out, an adjournment probably will be taken for 24 or 48 hours.

The presidents of the anthracite coal carrying roads today devoted considerable attention to the action of the retail coal dealers in New York, Philadelphia and other cities in raising the price of domestic sizes of coal to the consumer from 25 cents to $1 a ton. The operators some days ago warned the dealers that if they continue the practice their supply of coal will be cut off and fuel will be given to only those dealers who rigidly maintain the regular prices, but the practice of advancing prices became so wide-spread that the operators today reiterated their declarations in a statement to the public.

MINERS CELEBRATE.

CHARLEROI, PA., April 2.—(Special.)—In commemoration of the granting of the eight-hour day to the miners in 1898 a monster celebration was held here today. A street parade in which 3,000 miners marched was followed by speeches. The speakers were Burgess J. J. Hoit, who delivered the address of welcome; Vice President T. L. Lewis of Indianapolis, of the United Mine Workers; National Secretary Launer of Philadelphia, of the Green Bottle Blowers' association; John Caskey of New York, of the United Hatters of North America.

Larkin Becomes Active.

Controller Larkin yesterday held up the pay roll of the construction bureau, saying he had heard the employes spent three days surveying a farm owned by the father of Superintendent A. W. Burk. Larkin will have an examination made of all market house leases, intending to annul them.

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MAYOR PLEDGES REFORMS

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paign for the mayoralty. Mr. Jenkinson assured his successful rival of his earnest support, and was cordially thanked. In his office Mayor Guthrie administered the oath of office to Directors Clark, Ridgway and Shaw. Solicitor Rodgers was not present to take the oath. The mayor announced to councils the appointment of James W. Clark as director of public works, Frank Ridgway as director of public safety, Dr. J. P. Shaw as director of charities, and William B. Rodgers as city solicitor. He stated he would formally present the names to select council later for its confirmation. The mayor's inaugural address is given below:

Gentlemen of Council—In view of the platforms of the various parties and organizations participating in the last city election, and of the public declarations of the candidates, it would seem unnecessary for me to make any fresh statements in regard to the policy to be followed during the next three years. But lest silence should be misconstrued, it is proper to refer to some of the more important matters requiring immediate attention.

There can be no doubt that it is the will of the people of Pittsburgh that city affairs should be taken out of partisan politics, and as a public servant it will be my duty, as it certainly will be my pleasure, to carry out their wish in this as in other particulars.

I have already publicly announced the selection of James W. Clark for director of the department of public works, Frank Ridgway for director of the department of public safety, Dr. J. P. Shaw for director of the department of charities and correction, and William B. Rodgers for city solicitor.

These appointments will be duly transmitted to councils for approval, as required by law.

Changes among the other executive officers of the city, which may be found proper, will be made after due consideration of each case, and in such a manner as not to obstruct the transaction of the business of the city.

From what I have already learned there are many important matters affecting the interests of the city requiring early action, and the city officials must first attend to them.

In the meantime, I desire to say that so far as the employes in the various departments of the city are concerned civil service rules will, as soon as possible, be prepared and put in force, as the laws governing the city are clear in this regard. It is made it duty of the mayor and the directors to adopt and put in force such rules, and prescribes some very salutary conditions to be included in them.

The law will be obeyed; and until the rules have been provided such employes as are faithful and competent will be secure in their positions. If there have been any recent removals of such officials for purely partisan reasons, as is rumored, their cases will be investigated.

The night of the election I publicly assured all city employes that from that hour they were under the protection of the principles of fair dealing and public policy which underlie all civil service rules. I do not intend to permit that assurance to be made a farce in order that faithful and competent employes may be punished for their refusal to obey orders that no man had the right to give.

The late council changed the compensation to be thereafter allowed to the collector of delinquent taxes, but made no other changes in the system. I desire to call your attention to the fact that, in my opinion, the system for the collection of delinquent taxes is not just to the city, and that even the new compensation allowed to the collector is beyond what should be allowed, and to recommend the passage of an ordinance to remedy these objections. In the meantime, when I take up the appointment of a collector of delinquent taxes, it is my intention to require from the person appointed an agreement to pay over to the city treasurer the balance of the 2 per cent allowed for the expenses of collection, after deducting the expenses of his office and a fixed and reasonable compensation to him for his services.

That the city should receive only 3 per cent from delinquents for a year and five months' delay is not just to those taxpayers who, at great effort and sometimes great sacrifice, meet their obligations to the city promptly.

From its institution the city hospital has been under the direction of the department of public safety. The law requires that all hospitals shall be under the care of the department of charities and correction, and I believe the greater efficiency can be secured by a compliance with its provisions. The care and supervision of the hospital will be transferred to the department where it belongs.

It also seems to me that a better distribution of work would be accomplished if the bureau of health was also transferred to the same department, but as this can only be done by an act of legislature, there is nothing for us to do in the premises except that if your honorable bodies should agree with me, an application can be made to the next session of the legislature for an amendment to the law.

There has been great dissatisfaction among the people because they believe that the laws and ordinances of the city for the control of vice and the prevention of crime have not been sufficiently enforced. I do not care at this time to enter into any detailed discussion of this question. The new director of the department of public safety enters upon his work with a clear perception of the evils complained of and of his duties in relation to them. I hope that he will receive the earnest support of the people, without which any improvement is impossible, and that the result of his efforts will be satisfactory to all law-abiding citizens who prize the good order of the city and its reputation. Every branch of the public service connected with this work will receive thorough examination and whatever reorganization is necessary to make it effective and secure a cordial co-operation among all.

After careful inquiry, I have not had any complaints in regard to the manner in which the department of charities and correction has been conducted. Still, the public owe a duty to the unfortunates who come under the care of this department, and we must see that its work is raised to and kept at the highest standard possible.

In taking over the work of the department of public works, it is my intention to avail myself of the right given me by law to appoint a commission for the purpose of securing a thorough and impartial examination and report upon various matters of vital importance to the city, concerning which there have been repeated expressions of uneasiness.

The result of this investigation will be given to the public when completed. In the making of the investigation care will be taken not to delay the prosecution of the work on the filtration plant, the prompt completion of which is of the greatest importance to the health of this community.

During the campaign it was charged that I would be as economical in my administration as to obstruct and delay public improvements. Time will prove the injustice of this charge. Public improvements, which are necessary to promote the growth and development of the city and make the lives of the people comfortable and safe, will command my hearty approval and earnest support. At the same time, I will endeavor to observe that economy which consists in exacting from every person dealing with the city full return in service or in property for every dollar spent.

Many so-called public improvements are made at the cost of the property owners benefited by them. When such improvements are asked for by the parties interested and the plans proposed are in accordance with good public policy and the proper development of the city, they should be conceded without delay.

Neither the reward of friends nor the punishment of opponents should have the slightest influence in determining questions of public policy.

Everything must and will be done to promote the fairest and fullest competition in the letting of public contracts and strict compliance with specifications will be exacted.

Where patented or controlled articles are required, the contract for them must be let as the law requires, separate and apart from all other work or supplies. The law expressly comands this, and experience has shown that in no other way can free competition be secured.

Of course, neither favoritism in the selection of contractors, nor the changing of specifications after bids have been received, is compatible with honest administration.

I am pledged to oppose the granting of franchises for long terms or without fullest compensation to the city and proper conditions for the protection of public interests. The people have demanded this in the most emphatic manner and their wishes will be complied with.

I also understand that the people insist that the rights of the city under all contracts shall be fully enforced.

This demand affects not only persons having contracts for city work, but also persons and corporations enjoying privileges and franchises granted by the city.

It may be that disagreements will arise as to the meaning or validity of various laws, ordinances and contracts, which will require judicial determination to ascertain exactly what the city's rights are; but, whether disputed or admitted, it is my intention to use my best endeavors to ascertain and enforce such rights as the city has.

At the same time the rights of the parties affected will be accorded full recognition and protection. Even if the city had the power to do so, it would offend public faith to attempt to destroy private rights, which rest for their preservation on the integrity of public action.

There has been great complaint as to the insufficiency of the service rendered to the people by corporations holding public franchises granted to them upon the implied, if not expressed, condition that they would properly meet public wants. Most of these complaints relate to the insufficiency of accommodation for the public on traction lines—to want of satisfactory transfers—and to undue obstruction of public traffic at certain points.

It is perfectly evident that if the present system of public transportation is not already inadequate it will soon become so if, as we believe, the recent growth and prosperity of the city continue.

In order to meet this condition and at the same time render it impossible for anyone—by the acquisition, for instance, of franchises at controlling points—to prevent the construction and operation of a convenient and independent system under proper municipal regulation and control, I would respectfully recommend the passage of an ordinance authorizing the appointment of a commission to prepare plans showing how a satisfactory system can be secured at the least cost. I have no doubt the various commercial organizations in the city would co-operate with us and that public-spirited citizens can be found who will give their services to the city for such an object.

With such plans the city will be in a position to protect itself at every point. If the work is properly done it will be of incalculable benefit to the city.

Underground lines will unquestionably have to be resorted to in the near future. In the location and construction of tunnels, the convenience and necessities of the public must be the first question. Moreover, the exclusive right to build and use them must not be permitted to pass under the control of any interest to whose advantage it might be to stifle competition.

The surface rights have been given away in perpetuity and have passed into the control of a single organization. We must see that the underground rights are not disposed of in the same way. They must be sacredly preserved for the protection of the public and the development of the city.

There has been much discussion, some of it very heated and bitter, in regard to the question of public light. This question must be taken up and disposed of as soon as possible. I hope that either by the voluntary action of the only company now in position to give full service, or by the assertion of the city's rights under its contract, satisfactory arrangements can be made. If not, it may be necessary to consider the advisability of installing a public plant. For many reasons I would prefer to avoid this at present.

Much has been done for the beautifying of the parks; there is now a demand for better facilities for using them for public recreation, and also for the provision of other playgrounds, where healthy exercise may be conveniently and safely obtained. All efforts in this direction will receive hearty support.

It would not be profitable now to attempt to refer in detail to the various duties imposed upon the executive departments; it is sufficient to say that capable and faithful attention to duty and to the interest of the city will be required from every officer as the absolute condition of retention in public service.

In all matters concerning public interest I will be glad to co-operate with you in the most friendly spirit. As the representatives of your wards, you have a right to be heard in regard to the needs of the city at large and of your various localities.

Permit me also to say through you to the people of Pittsburgh that anyone having a request or a complaint to make in regard to public business, or to the manner in which public work is done or public officers act in the discharge of their duty, will receive from me a fair and impartial hearing, as is his right; and if the complaint be well founded, everything possible will be done to rectify the wrong.

In a city as large as this, full and correct knowledge of conditions can only be acquired by affording fair hearings to all concerned. Every citizen is interested in having the streets kept clean and in repair, and the sanitary and police laws properly enforced. Too often, the greatest sufferers from the violation of these laws, or the neglect of those charged with their enforcement, find it difficult to make their wrongs known to those who would rectify them. They should have every opportunity afforded to them to obtain relief.

In conclusion, I desire to say that while the rights of all will be strictly observed, the rights and interest of the city and its taxpayers will always be the first consideration and favoritism to individuals or outside interests strictly excluded.

AUSPICIOUS DAY FOR MAYOR KIRSCHLER

Charles F. Kirschler was yesterday installed as mayor of Allegheny city, and never has the chosen servant of the people been inducted into office under more auspicious conditions. Political strife was forgotten for the time being and everybody bowed to the new executive. Added to this was the fragrance of the choicest of flowers, which filled the council chamber.

It was just a few minutes after 12 o'clock when Mayor Kirschler appeared in the common council chamber, being escorted by Thomas McBride of select council, and Robert Cochran and Frederick Herron of common council. His advent was met by an outburst of cheers which only ended when he had reached the platform. Among those seated on the platform were Presidents Francis J. Torrance and Samuel McElroy of select and common councils, the retiring mayor, James G. Wyman; Dr. H. W. Heckleman and Prof. John A. Brashear.

The invocation was offered by the Rev. Dr. Duncan McGregor, and President Torrance administered the oath of office.

The mayor's inaugural address was short, but to the point. The keynote of his proposed conduct of the office was expressed in the sentence, "I well know that an ounce of performances are worth a ton of promises." He promised to suppress crime, and invited the residents of the city to confer with him and aid him in giving the city a clean, Christian government. All the pledges made during the campaign, he said, he would faithfully fulfill.

At the conclusion of the mayor's address President Torrance adjourned the meeting to the select council chamber, where Mayor Kirschler made a short speech and announced his appointments, as follows:

JOHN SWAN, JR., director of the department of public works.

SAMUEL J. GRENET, director of the department of public safety.

SIMON KIRSCHLER, director of the department of charities and corrections.

RICHARD M. KOPP, city treasurer.

ELLIOTT RODGERS, city solicitor.

DAVID ELPHINSTONE, chief assessor.

President Torrance pledged the support of that body on any undertaking of the mayor. Mayor Kirschler then went to his office, where he held an informal reception.

The meetings of councils which preceded the inaugural ceremonies were short and little business was transacted. In common council two new members, James Wetlock of the Seventh ward and Charles Mohney of the Tenth ward were sworn in. Thomas G. Lambert, member from the Tenth ward, presented his resignation. Two ordinances relating to minor improvements were introduced and referred.

John H. Kane, a new member of select council from the Ninth ward, was sworn in at the session of that branch. Ordinances increasing the salary of the city treasurer from $4,000 to $5,000, and authorizing him to employ a chief clerk and two assistants for the collection delinquent taxes, were passed. Several ordinances relating to paving and grading were also passed. The report of the retiring mayor, James G. Wyman, was read and placed on file.

The appointments announced yesterday by the heads of departments were for the most part minor ones. Director Swan announced two, Louis F. Geyer as wharfmaster to succeed Charles Hausen, and Miss Margaret Nelson to continue as his stenographer. John Glenn, the present superintendent of police, was reappointed by Director Grenet. He also appointed as his chief clerk S. Lewis Dunlap, and as assistant and stenographer David Johnson. Treasurer Kopp appointed William P. Brown as his chief clerk. David Elphinstone appointed the following as assessors: John Graebing, Jr., John Stewart, Robert Beck and George E. Smith. The chief clerk will be Christ Saan. The bureau of health will have as its head Dr. H. K. Beatty and the chief clerk will be M. C. Wiley.

Mayor Kirschler failed to announce any of the police magistrates, although it is certain that William Hadfield will preside at Central station. He did announce that George J. Schad of the Eighth ward will be his chief clerk, with Harry C. Duncan as assistant and W. J. Farrell as messenger. City Solicitor Rodgers appointed as his assistants Craig Smith and Lee C. Beatty.

THE TRAMP AND THE LADY

Literary ladies have bad livers.

A tramp has said so, and this particular fellow should know, for he rescued one of the craft from drowning last week. She presented to him a small sponge tied with ribbons as a reward for his bravery. That is why he is forever opposed to the encouragement of the literary fad among women.

This tramp is a philosopher. He said: "When I pulled that Miss Fat-Head out of the Monongahela she was about done for, but I swam ashore with her and remained till the doctors said she would

After the Rescue.

come around all right. She gave me her address and asked me to call the next day. I did so, and visions of a banquet in my honor almost made me color blind. Really, I thought I was 'it' for a swell feed and then a check that would pay my board all summer.

"But what's the use?" the ragged one asked pessimistically, "she is a literary lady. Instead of a reward worth while, she actually gave me this small sponge with ribbon decorations, which she expected me to wear as a sort of medal. She said it would be a continual reminder of my bravery and was peculiarly appropriate, because all sponges are snatched from a watery grave, as it were.

"It's that old petrified idea of symbolism that puts these literary ladies to the bad," lamented the tramp; "if they were mere ordinary mortals they'd give a fellow something he could make use of—food or money, maybe, but sponges—never!"

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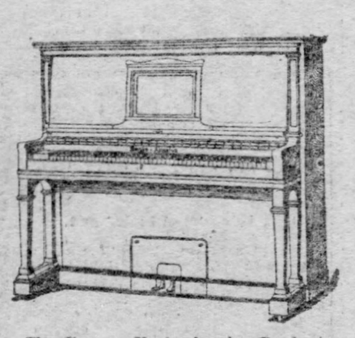

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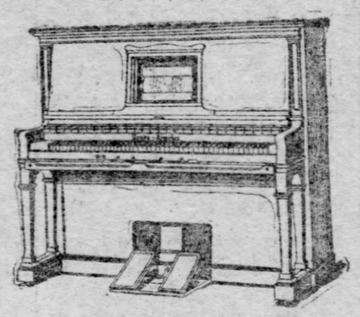

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A companion exhibit to this general opening, one which may be placed figuratively in the line of an excellent dessert after an appetizing meal, is the

Famous Anderson $50,000 Painting, the Grand Canyon of the Yellowstone.

This great painting is exhibited in the fourth floor west, where we have arranged a room with a seating capacity for a good sized audience, and everybody is invited to see the picture. It will be shown daily, until further notice, as follows:

Exhibited at 10 A. M., 12 M., 2 and 5 P. M.
Lectures at 11 A. M., and 3 P. M.

New Millinery for Spring.

Shall it be a Paris Hat? One from either of such famous modistes as Georgette, Susanne Blum, Crozier or Virot?

Or will you have a dress hat, a street hat, a carriage hat, or a smartly tailored hat, delightful reproductions of Paris' April models?

And then we have recourse to the leading productions of that fashionable center of New York, Fifth Avenue. All are ready. Nothing is popular, or about to be taken up by women of fashion, but what is here, here for as moderate a price as it can be purchased anywhere.

In our medium and popular priced section we call attention especially to handsome and stylish hat—sailors, toques, turbans, etc., in black, in combination of black and white, and all colors—made of the best materials, trimmed with the best materials, designed by our best designers. No two alike. Three hundred of these hats ready today, $10.00 each. Value, $18.00.

Untrimmed Department.

We invite you to an inspection of our division of Untrimmed Hats and trimmings, where we have the largest and best assortment we have ever shown.

There are French Flowers, Ostrich Plumes, Tips, Aigrettes, Paradise Quills, Wings, Breasts, Leghorns, Hair, Plateaus and Braids, all the materials required for the pretty hats.

We have these untrimmed hats in chips, fancy peroxiline, neapolitan and fancy braid, in every style that is to be worn.

Spring Hats for Girls.

We have a broad and exceptionally distinctive exhibit of direct styles of hats for girls, all ages, and for young ladies.

Straw and Lingerie Hats, Sailors and Tailored Hats, Napoleons, Continentals and Colonials.

This collection will effectively support our reputation as the leader for misses' and children's styles.

The prices will serve as an object lesson in the matter of economical buying.

Today Women's Tan Covert Jackets.

$6.00 EACH

All New Spring Jackets as Smart as Smart Can Be, Worth From $10.00 Up to $25.00.

A little spice to add zest to the Opening Day of Spring Fashions, almost too spicy to be received without some explanation.

We rather like the idea of telling you, confidentially, how it comes that we purpose selling today handsome little Spring Jackets for such a wonderful differential as $6.00.

All during the month of March makers have been piling up jackets day after day, expecting clear weather, which would sell the accumulated lots quickly. Instead, the whole month passed and no demand for Spring Jackets. The load was heavy and becoming heavier, and the thing was to get rid of the Old Man of the Sea, and save themselves. Tailors had to be paid, money had to come from somewhere. The speedy relief was to sell these smart Spring Jackets for the proverbial song. The proverbial song permits us to put them into your hands for $6.00 each.

Great pity, but we could only secure 500 as Pittsburg's share in this distribution, but we can tell you that each and every jacket is as piquant as anything you ever saw.

All tan, many different shades. Covert, of course, lined in the best way with either silk or satin. Sizes range from 32 to 42.

Up-to-April styles that you would be willing to pay double and three times as much for were you not able to get such a model for $6.00.

Demonstration of the Enroh Dress Shields.

Today, main aisle, West Store, we begin demonstrating the superior qualities of dress shields made from gutta munta pears, a relative of the gutta percha family, and possessing the same elasticity.

These Enroh Dress Shields, notwithstanding they contain lots of rubber are perfectly odorless. A rubber dress shield is always the best. The aim of this store is to always have the best.

Size 1—15c a pair, $1.65 a dozen; size 2—20c a pair, $2.20 a dozen; size 3—22c a pair, $2.40 a dozen; size 4—25c a pair, $2.75 a dozen; size 5—28c a pair, $3.00 a dozen; size 6—33c a pair, $3.60 a dozen.

Another Shipment of Rosebuds and Flowering Plants.

So many people came forward after the sale last week wanting flowers and roses and plants, that we immediately sent off and had another shipment rushed to us. It arrived yesterday evening, ready this morning, East Basement. There are:

HOLLYHOCKS, BOSTON IVY, MOSS ROSE, LA FRANCE, SPIREA, HYDRANGEA, PHLOX, CLEMATIS, CRIMSON RAMBLER, MAGNA CHARTA, HONEYSUCKLE, DOROTHY PERKINS.

All in this brace, with the exception of two species, noted below, are two for.....25c

The exceptions are Hollyhocks and Phlox, two for.....15c

Palms, 40c, 75c, $1.00 and up to $3.50.
Ferns, 40c, $1.00, $1.25 and up to $3.00.
Rubber Plants, 65c, $1.00 and up to $2.00.
Tube Roses, 15c a dozen.

Gladiolus No. 1, 25c dozen; No. 2, 20c dozen.
Calidonia Bulbs, 5 to 7 inches, 2 for 5c; 7 to 9 inches, 5c each; 9 to 11 inches, 10c each.
Fern Balls, 35c each.
Canna Bulbs, 35c dozen.

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Tuesday, April 3, 1906.

Subscribers to The Gazette who will move April 1 are requested to send both old and new addresses to the circulation department so that the paper may be delivered without interruption.

Director Clark's efforts to become the political boss of the new administration have not prospered. He has gained nothing and councils have organized in opposition to his wishes. He had better abandon his ambition. Bosses are not in favor, here or elsewhere.

Congressman A. L. Bates succeeded, yesterday, in getting his liability bill through the house in handsome style. It may be a more difficult matter to get such a measure through the senate. There has long been an insistent demand for such a measure by many persons. The bill of Mr. Bates is carefully drawn and worthy of more consideration than most efforts in the same direction.

Former Director Moore will get little sympathy for his complaint against the new administration. His management of the department was never of the best and during the late city campaign, as during the county campaign, he put political servility above the public service. Mr. Guthrie made his canvass on a totally different basis and would have stultified himself by rewarding service of that kind.

Now the New York Red Cross has decided to send both food and money to Japan and Mr. Harriman has offered free transportation for 2,000 tons of freight over his roads, the relief work should go forward briskly. There is certainty that thousands are starving in Japan and the island empire is unable to relieve them. Americans may show their sympathy more practically than during the recent war.

There is not much of moment in the annual report of the Panama railroad. It indicates progress. There is much in Secretary Taft's appeal to have the type of the canal fixed without further delay. The corporate form of the railroad may be maintained, or may be abandoned, as Mr. John F. Wallace has advised, without seriously affecting its usefulness, but it will be working to better purpose when it is known what kind of canal is to be built.

Director Ridgway of the public safety department has given early evidence of competence. The consolidation of the police and detective bureaus, under the supervision of Thomas A. McQuaide, is a movement toward increased efficiency. Mr. McQuaide's administration of the bureau of detectives and his brief term as acting superintendent of police leave no room to doubt his qualifications for the task before him. The public will not hesitate to applaud this first appointment in the safety department.

Secretary Taft's decision that enlisted men shall be given facilities for the study of foreign languages while at army posts recognizes the value of employing the soldiers' many idle hours with something better than cards and dominoes. With the cooperation of officers who will act as instructors it is hoped to have a large number of the men learn Spanish from the text books issued by the department, to be followed by French or German. A knowledge of Spanish would certainly be invaluable to soldiers sent to the Philippines.

Chicago will hold an interesting election today. The citizens will directly express their attitude toward municipal ownership of street railways, for which they voted indirectly in the election of Mayor Dunne. Another interesting feature of more than local importance is the selection of aldermen on the high license issue. The lines have been sharply drawn between candidates favoring the recently adopted $1,000 license for saloons and those favoring the old license of $500. As the additional fees are used to give the city better police protection there ought not to be any doubt about the result.

Mr. Guthrie's Inaugural.

Mayor George Wilkins Guthrie was sworn into office at noon yesterday with impressive ceremonies. Then he delivered an inaugural address that every citizen should read and rejoice while reading. It is a declaration of official principles as admirable as the personal character of the man who delivered it. We again congratulate Mayor Guthrie.

In regard to the collector of delinquent taxes the new mayor has adopted the principle of the suggestion made by The Gazette—a guarantee of the disappearance of this blot from the city's escutcheon. His suggestion for the transfer of the city hospital to the department of charities, according to law, is eminently proper and will produce good results. There can be no honest disagreement with the mayor's attitude toward public contracts. He gave them no more attention than the subject demands. There have been many abuses in public contracts to the detriment of the public and the shame of the city.

Mayor Guthrie discusses franchises and public conveniences in an enlightened way that must be gratifying to all except the franchise grabbers. He will have no franchises in perpetuity, or without full compensation, and he suggests a commission to inquire and devise a system of rapid transit in competition with the present system. Such action, together with vigorous use of the police powers of the municipality should secure better public service. By the use of underground routes, carefully guarded in the public interest, improvement of facilities is possible and it is fortunate the city is to have a capable and honest administration at this juncture. In the matters of public lighting and improving the parks for the use of the people, Mayor Guthrie takes equally advanced ground. The Gazette, which has been a consistent advocate of making the parks playgrounds for the people, with shelters and accessories, welcomes the chief executive to the same position.

Mr. Guthrie made one other very important announcement in his address, namely, that he will appoint a commission to investigate and report on the condition of the property and public works of the city. There have been complaints during many years affecting these things. Now the whole people will learn on what ground they rest and what may be done to remedy evils complained of. We anticipate some very interesting disclosures, but it is quite another question whether there may be any remedies except at the public expense. Mr. Guthrie has given an earnest of his full equipment for the duties before him as mayor of this city and later as mayor of the Greater Pittsburgh.

The New Councils.

Pittsburgh councils were organized by the Republican majority yesterday, as had been indicated by The Gazette. Dr. E. R. Walters is chairman of select and William Brand president of the common branch, each with a fair working majority. Both gentlemen have experience and sufficient knowledge of parliamentary law and practice to make efficient officers. They will be expected to use their powers entirely in the public interest.

Upon the Republican majority in councils will devolve the duty of upholding Mayor Guthrie in the administration of needed reforms in the city government. This it can well afford to do. The mayor is using his appointive power in a non-partisan way and Republican councilmen can find no excuse for putting obstructions in his way. There is no good reason why the executive and legislative branches shall not work in harmony while these conditions last.

City Clerk E. J. Martin comes to his duties with experience, he having held the position prior to the advent of the Bigelow councils. His reelection at this time is complimentary to his ability.

Algeciras Results.

While the Algeciras conference has given rise to much discussion of European relations, it has not really changed them. The settlement differs little from the plan proposed by France and indorsed by Great Britain before the German emperor thrust his personality and German interests into consideration. The long diplomatic wrangle has served to bring the isolation of Germany into bold relief, but has not in the least affected that isolation.

It is not to be assumed Emperor William expected any other outcome. He was well aware of Germany's isolation before France made the first tentative proposition to police Morocco. He dissented simply because it is no part of his plan to have Germany ignored, however much it may stand alone. He showed marked favor to Russia during the war with Japan, but we do not believe he expected to win that power from its long alliance with France. More likely he meant to arouse the sympathy of his own people by the inevitable Russian exhibition of seeming ingratitude.

Throughout the controversy The Gazette maintained its belief that William of Germany did not mean war, under any circumstances. War would almost certainly be fatal to Germany's commercial aspirations and it might prove fatal—as in the case of Russia—to the imperial continuance of the Hohenzollern dynasty. Emperor William desires no check to either; on the contrary, he is devoting his brilliant genius and extraordinary energies to promoting both. The imperial dynasty must have an imperial military establishment. This is a handicap to commerce and industry. Thus it becomes a duty, whenever possible, to induce other powers to carry a similar burden.

It is essential for the German emperor to cause alarms of war for the dual purpose to set the other powers to strengthening their armament, and to keep his own people content in carrying their burden. It is notable the result at Algeciras has reconciled Berlin to the naval program of the government, and that is an important point gained. In short, the German emperor can be counted on to encourage the weaker power in any conflict that may arise, in order to strain the financial resources of the stronger. He did this with Spain, with the Boers and with Russia. He is a farseeing monarch.

Mr. Dolan's Mistake.

Just as the Pittsburgh district operators are signing the scale of 1903, to keep things moving, Patrick Dolan comes to the front with a declaration that no legal contract has been, or can be made, without his signature. Mr. Dolan is making a mistake to interfere with the desire of the miners to work. It is, moreover, contrary to the spirit of his vote in Indianapolis. He was right then and wrong now.

It is to be hoped the miners will pay no attention to the Dolan protest against the scale contracts. Technically there may be basis for the contention that a district president's signature should be on the papers. As a matter of fact, however, the miner is capable of making an individual contract with his employer. A contract with the union is a formality, at best, and the tangle over district officers should not be permitted to interfere with the men working.

The Day After.

Aching backs and limbs and blistered hands will be the lot of many residents of the Greater Pittsburgh today, but such temporary physical discomforts will be forgotten in the light of the glorious fact that moving day, for another year at least, is past. Owing to an insufficient number of covered vans to transport the chattels of the movers, it was necessary to press into the service a host of vehicles that, not designed for such a purpose, afforded no protection to their contents. It was especially fortunate, therefore, that such ideal weather marked the busy day. It was such weather as we have come by no means to expect on the first business day of April, and materially lightened the labors and spirits of the movers.

Suburban flitters encountered conditions which were unknown in the city. The country roads are in a wretched state, being almost impassable in spots, and some persons who had planned to move yesterday found it impossible to do so. This fact alone vindicates the wisdom of changing the date to May 1, when the roads will naturally be in much better condition. Weeks before moving day the annual cry is "There are no houses," but the law of supply and demand works here as elsewhere and the flitting families of the Pittsburgh district all found somewhere to lay their heads. Complaint was made, as in preceding years, of the lack of small houses at moderate rentals. Investors are rapidly appreciating their opportunity along this line and the need will be presently supplied. The people of this vicinity are to be congratulated on the passing of the last April moving day.

An English investigator having declared New York's streets the dirtiest in the world, the metropolis is accorded one superlative distinction which Chicago will hardly claim.

While paterfamilias can congratulate himself there will be no more moving for 18 months, the annual tearing-up known as fall housecleaning looms up six months distant.

It would be interesting to ascertain how many boys who know every word of "Everybody Works but Father" can sing the first stanza of "America."

While an Englishman's house is his castle, every Englishman believes John Chinaman's house should have a permanent open door attachment.

David B. Hill is said to be well enough again to take an active interest in politics. Mr. Bryan would better come home.

Any irregularities in the weather of early April may be charged to having a new man in charge of the works.

The plot to murder King Alphonso shows that the rule "all the world loves a lover" has its exceptions.

John Bull has been made a city official of Elmira, N. Y. Another illustration of the era of good feeling.

Now is the time to enlist the sympathy of married men in the crusade against bird's on women's hats.

The genuine spring poet started to work yesterday, but the weather was a sufficient excuse.

The wise early riser catches the worm, puts it on the end of a hook and goes fishing.

Russia's election is declared to be a farce, but it is more of a tragedy for the people.

The new director of public safety will at least know enough to go in when it rains.

The "ex" fits some retiring office holders surprisingly well.

Our Advantageous Situation.

America has played the role of peacemaker at Algeciras as successfully, if not so dramatically, as at Portsmouth. The role is a pleasing one, and happily America, by its freedom from "entangling alliances," is admirably situated for its performance.—New York Tribune.

SPELLING REFORM.

How often on a drowsy day
When summer's most alluring look
Smiled on the meadow and the bay
I sat behind my spelling book
And told the letters o'er and o'er
To discipline my lagging brain!
Must I unlearn those ways of yore—
Must I go thru it all again?

My daily care must I resign,
And suffer no small loss, mayhap,
And humbly stand once more in line
Perchance to earn a dunce's cap?
From all my books must I depart
And take the rude unscholared swain
As my preceptor in the art—
Him whom I viewed with such disdain?

If like a boy they bid me learn
I vow I shall not go half way,
Unto a top and kite I'll turn;
Aye, and play truant some fine day!
If to my task I bend anew
I'll have the pleasure with the pain.
I'll learn baseball and leap frog too,
If I go thru it all again.

—Washington Star.

Quiet Observations on Timely Topics

Man Works from Sun to Sun, Woman's Work Is Never Done.

By ERASMUS WILSON.

Even if you did not have to move yesterday you can't crow very long over your neighbor upon whom you smiled and chuckled to yourself as he wrestled with the fabled stove pipe, and various pieces of furniture more or less ticklish to handle.

And yet there is a whole lot of satisfaction in watching the other fellow moving, just as there is a whole lot more satisfaction in blowing smoke from a cigar than in blowing burned and bruised fingers.

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Your day is coming, and in that day the neighbor whom you laughed at, and pitied in a weak, helpless sort of way, will chuckle and rejoice inwardly, even as you did in his hour of trial. His wife combined housecleaning with moving, thus making one bite of two cherries.

Your bite is to come, and come it will, for breathes there a woman with soul so dead who hath not said this is housecleaning time. She can't help it for it is her nature to take spells, with spasms now and then.

When spell and spasm are concurrent, as they usually are at housecleaning time, there is likely to be trouble more or less, even for the best natured man on earth.

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And now, when the sun looms up brightly regardless of chilly winds, and mud, the good housewife begins to feel symptoms of a spell, and if you have been observant you will readily recognize them.

If, however, you have had little or no experience you may treat the symptoms lightly, and even joke about the pending domestic upheaval. But you will learn wosdom as you grow older, unless you allow yourselt to be overwhelmed by it, los eyour nerve, and take to drink or to the woods.

The wise man accepts the situation, imagines that he is having a picnic, and turns in and helps to make it enjoyable.

Many of our troubles and worries can be treated in the same way with most excellent results, so that in time we may come to regard home and its surroundings, as a real paradise.

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And yet, even in paradise, the man who has moved successfully, gotten settled down, and his wife is through housecleaning, may chuckle a bit when he beholds a neighbor wearing a waspish aspect, hastening from home early, and returning late, with laggard step and fearful mien.

Chuckle a bit if yo uwill, but don't fail to hail your neighbor from your gate of paradise, give him a glad word or two, and turn his mind to the good things coming and about due.

What a lot of comfort we could dispense if only we embraced a tithe of the opportunities offered, and what a lot of happiness it would bring to us, and how it all would tend to establish paradise right here on earth.

Wonder will it come to pass? Surely it ought to come, for nearly every gentle man and woman stand ready to agree that it is possible.

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Isn't it funny, or at least odd, that we know so much of right and yet do so little?

Everybody knows that it is not right to tolerate intemperance of a kind that injures, ruins and kills thousands annually, and yet we do not exert ourselves earnest to eradicate it, or rather to substitute temperance.

Possibly it is because we look at it from the negative side. Instead of urging people not to do wrong, would it not be better to urge them to do right?

Negative teaching is not nearly as effective as the positive sort, the soul of which is that right is right. Nearly every one knows what is right, and believes that it would be better for all if right should prevail, but the average man and woman is satisfied with simple efforts not to do wrong, rather than to make earnest effort to do right.

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But what has all this to do with moving, housecleaning, and spring doings, generally?

That is something of a conundrum, and one that may be left for each to answer according to his present mental and social condition.

But all will agree, even those having torn clothes, bruised fingers, and aching bones, that moving is not the worst ever. Indeed it is altogether probable that the sorest and most tired, could they be induced to forget the present, and look forward to the fullness of spring, would change their frowns to smiles, their sadness change to gladness.

Hope, you know, is the most buoyant elemcat in life, and the most restful, therefore worth cultivating. Hopefulness can be cultivated in a very high degree, and it certainly is worth while.

Take a few minutes rest even in the midst of your work, and instead of complaining about your immediate state, think what it will be when you get fixed up.

CASUAL GLIMPSES AROUND THE CITY

Notes About People and Events in Which Pittsburghers Are Interested.

The Pittsburgh Foundrymen's association tendered a banquet last night at the Annex hotel to delegates from the allied foundrymen's associations of New England, Philadelphia, Erie, Cleveland and Buffalo. Covers were laid for 200 guests. Last night's banquet was the culmination of a social day spent by the local foundrymen in showing the visitors the wonders of Pittsburgh's industries, particularly those bearing on the steel industry.

B. D. Fuller, president of the Pittsburgh association, acted as toastmaster and introduced, in their order, the following speakers, who welcomed the visiting foundrymen and spoke at length on the invitation Pittsburgh holds out to even further development in this line: J. S. Seaman, who discussed the social side of the allied associations; J. W. Wardrop, who voiced the spirit of the Merchants and Manufacturers' association; B. M. Shaw, who tendered the thanks of the Boston delegation; N. S. Calhoun, who spoke for the Cleveland Foundrymen's association; A. Hamerschlag, director of the Carnegie Technical schools, who spoke of school training; R. G. Moldenhke, who gave a witty talk on the steel business, and Thomas E. Durban, who presented the views of the Erie Foundrymen's association. A vaudeville performance followed the banquet.

A special car, bearing the Philadelphia delegation of 50 left this morning. The other visiting foundrymen will leave for their home cities today.

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M. E. Missionary Here.

The Rev. Dr. E. M. Taylor, assistant secretary of the Missionary society of the Methodist Episcopal church, stopped off in the city yesterday while on his way to his home in Boston after a trip through Oklahoma and Kansas. He says a great religious wave is sweeping over the west and that church affairs are particularly bright in Kansas.

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Magoon Audits Expenses.

George A. Magoon, the largest independent coal operator in the Pittsburgh district, who represented the bituminous men in the Indianapolis fight, declared humorously yesterday that he would have saved money if he had given in to the miners' demands immediately, and hurried back home. Mr. Magoon was accompanied to Indianapolis by his family and closed up his Pittsburgh residence.

"When I opened up my house here," said Mr. Magoon, "I found that I was in for spring housecleaning with a vengeance. During my absence the water pipes burst and the house was figuratively swimming in water of Pittsburgh's muddiest brand, the piano falling to pieces, the wall paper off the walls and the carpets ruined. The damage runs up into thousands of dollars and I am just figuring out how much I would have gained by staying at home."

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Compliment to Col. Rutledge.

The field, line and staff officers of the Eighteenth infantry will tender a banquet to Col. Frank I. Rutledge, the regimental commander, at the Monongahela club Thursday night. Arrangements for the banquet are being made on a large scale. The affair is tendered to Col. Rutledge to mark the anniversary of his 30 years' service in the regiment as a private and a commissioned officer. The officers will present Col. Rutledge with a remembrance. Just what the present is is being kept a secret, but it is surmised that it will be in the shape of silver or cut glass. The banquet has a special significance, it is said. There was a rumor yesterday that Col. Rutledge will likely announce his resignation as commander of the Eighteenth before the close of the affair.

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Dentists Gather Here Today.

The annual meeting of the Odontological society of Western Pennsylvania will be held at the Hotel Annex today and tomorrow, and if expectations are realized, 500 or more members of the dental profession from this section will be present. The election of officers will be held this morning and the program will not open until the afternoon session. Among the prominent members of the profession who will take part are Dr. F. B. Spooner of Brooklyn, who will speak on "State Boards;" Dr. J. Q. Byram of Indianapolis, on "The Color Problem in Dentistry;" Dr. Mihran K. Kassabian of Philadelphia, on "The X-Ray in Dentistry," and Dr. W. V. B. Ames, Chicago, on "Some Practical Cement Information." In connection with the meeting an exhibit, including displays by dental manufacturers from all parts of the country, will be held at the store of Lee S. Smith & Sons, Penn avenue and Eighth street.

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Will Lecture on Whales.

Dr. Frederick W. True of the New York university will lecture before the Academy of Science and Art in the Conservatory of Music, Dithridge street, next Thursday evening, on "Whales and Whale Fisheries," a subject with which years of study has made him familiar.

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Among the Travelers.

The Hon. George C. Sturgiss of Morgantown is at the Hotel Henry.

Miss M. L. Buckley, who has long been an employe of the United States pension office at Washington, arrived in Pittsburgh yesterday en route to her home in Freeport, Pa.

The Hon. Owen S. McKinney, a prominent newspaper proprietor and foremost Democratic leader of West Virginia, arrived in Pittsburgh yesterday on a business trip. Col. McKinney is famous as one of the men who sponsored Gassaway Davis and landed him as the vice presidential nominee on the Democratic national ticket.

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Arrivals at the Hotels.

Monongahela—J. H. Snowdon, Brownsville; B. W. Irwin, Big Run; E. S. Rhodes, E. B. Barnett, Somerset; D. N. Kuhn, Waynesburg; J. H. Field, Uniontown; J. B. Spencer, Butler; W. M. Orr, New Castle; N. E. Ginter, A. Blatesell, Dubois; J. B. Ehrhart, Punxsutawney; Elisha Robinson, Parker.

Griswold—E. Munery, William J. Peters, Wheeling; K. B. Bergstrom, Oil City; W. D. Jacobs, Waynesburg.

St. Charles—Theodore Pantall, Punxsutawney; Lewis Lavelle, Johnstown; E. L. Bennett, Charlerol; M. G. Zinn, Parkersburg, W. Va.; William Parsons, Beaver Falls.

Newell's—Z. R. Custer, Bradford; J. Y. McNaugh, Marietta, O.; J. T. Harvey, New Martinsville, W. Va.; J. C. Chidester, Weston, W. Va.

Antler—H. N. Seibert, New Castle; S. Morrison, East Brady; J. S. Langam, Punxsutawney; George M. Richards, Erie.

Duquesne—F. Lewis, Leetonia, O.; C. H. Yeo, Dunbar; C. A. Stowers, Akron, O.

Henry—G. C. Bromall, Belington, W. Va.; George C. Sturgiss, Morgantown, W. Va.; F. W. Owesney, Steubenville; Charles Coler, Meadville; George H. Hooper, Altoona.

Colonial—W. J. Leattor, Meyersdale; Paul H. Boring, East Liverpool, O.; Louis Cohen, Johnstown; O. B. Moore, New Castle; J. W. Sutton, Indiana; J. D. Whitman, Mercer; H. G. Nething, Fairmont, W. Va.; A. N. Bates, Erie.

Lincoln—A. B. Reese, Waynesburg; L. Klee, Wheeling; C. V. Wood, R. L. Miller, Canton, O.; R. T. Norton, Brookville.

Anderson—W. C. Hughes, Zanesville, O.; W. H. Sutton, Butler; George C. Kline, Latrobe.

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Schenley—G. G. Flyer, Philadelphia; Charles A. Bradley, New York; F. M. Wallace, Erie.

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Pitesburghers in New York.

NEW YORK, April 2.—(Special.)—The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels:

Waldorf-Astoria—B. F. Jones, Mrs. Jones, Miss Jones, W. R. Keuhn, Mrs. Keuhn, R. Keuhn, A. R. Fraser.

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Some Slight Discrepancies.

The dispatches say that Capt. George Curry, governor of Samar, who escaped from a company of warlike Palajanes in the Philippines recently by swimming a river, is a Kansan. This was to be expected as a matter of course, but the surprising part of it is that he came from Dodge City. It will seem strange to some people that anybody from Dodge City should know how to swim. Capt. Curry's press agent also did him an injustice in saying he escaped. Being a Kansan he should have captured the enemy or put it to flight.—Topeka State Journal.

Anticipating a Profane Silence.

"Uncle Joe" Cannon lost his temper a little when a representative called him an autocrat. Just wait, however, until some one calls him a Democrat.—Washington Post.

Some Palatable Breakfast Food Served Hot

By PETER PRY SHEVLIN.

Explains Divorces.

A man admires a girl that's staid,
Her virtues, sense of duty;
But promptly woos another maid
And marries her—for beauty!
Which cert explains unhappy list—
Divorce mills grinding daily grist!

Peter Pry's Philosophy.

No man can be beaten who meets Adversity with his shoulders squared back and his chin out.

Men gossips are worse than the feminine variety; they have more and nastier things to talk about.

The first kiss of love is the reincarnation of the golden dawn kissing the hill tops.

Deep down in his heart the average man likes to see some one "get it in the neck." That explains the popularity of the comic supplement.

Don't be stubborn and call it "consistency." Say today what you think is true and contradict is flatly tomorrow if you find you are wrong.

Cause and Effect.

Blinker—Yes, Squiggles is always complaining that he can't keep his head above water.

Clinker—But he can keep his nose above whisky, all right.

Starving to Death.

Do you know that there are many rich men—the country foolishly terms them "successful"—who are simply starving to death and starving others around them. True, they are not facing physical hunger that craves sustenance—the body after all is a flimsy husk—but their brain kernels are, literally, simply starving. In nature's scheme of pleotoplasms where there is not expansion, there is the beginning of decay.

The idea of helping others or the fact that this man owes an abiding debt to society—in the proper sense that means mankind—the fact that he owes something to his city, his nation, outside of advancing his own personal ends, never occurs to him.

Drink, starving simpleton, of the milk of human kindness; find your mental tabie d'hote in public spirit and altruism.

Their Status in Heaven.

Having edged through the pearly portals of heaven, we take a hurried glance at the blest. Suddenly we spy a ruddy, good-natured man, joyously thrumming a happy tune on his harp and sitting high among the just. Naturally we are considerably surprised.

"Isn't there some mistake here?" we ask St. Peter. "To my certain knowledge that man wasn't exactly a godly man while on earth."

"There you go 'knocking' again!" cautioned St. Peter. "Why do you think this man should be in the peanut gallery instead of in a fine orchestra seat?"

"Why, he was a sinner on earth."

"Not enough to hurt. He more than balanced his debt by giving to charity, and he never missed a chance to jolly the world along."

Again in surprise we point another acquaintance, sour and dignified, who is looking uncomfortable in the back row—out where the sulphurous draughts from the Other Place make things unpleasant.

"That's strange," we mutter. "That man while on earth, never drank, gambled, smoked, chewed and observed the very letter of the ritual. In fact, he never did anything."

"You're right; he was a negative character and he's got a lukewarm spot. He, however, sinned grievously against Charity by calling unnecessary attention to the sins of that whole-souled man!"

Oh, It Might Have Been Worse.

A dejected-looking man was hunched in the shadow of a doorway when Squilbob, the cheerful, came along.

"What's the matter, my friend?" he asked, swatting the stranger cheerfully on the back. "Cheer up! You're not the only one in trouble."

"Ain't I?" drawled the man, as he gazed at the pile of household utensils, crockery and furniture that surrounded him. "Nothing but trouble—trouble—trouble!"

"Oh, I know your misery—knew it, in fact, as soon as I saw that bunch of household goods scattered in the doorway. It's something awful, my boy—far worse than moving!"

"Eh?" said the dejected man, dobiously. "Well, I'm up against it for fair! Just been evicted for non-payment of rent with my furniture, haven't a sou, nothing to eat for two days—"

Squilbob interrupted him with an angry glare.

"Say, you had no right to deceive me and impose on my sympathy!" he snapped.

"Ain't being 'dead broke' and homeless, trouble enough?"

"Bah!" said Squilbob. "I though your case was far more pitiable! Why, I thought your wife was doing her spring house cleaning!"

Belated "April Fool Jokes."

"April Fool's Day," falling on Sunday, caused the jovial spirit of that day to be transformed to yesterday when many of the clerks in the downtown mercantile houses made merry after Sabbath seriousness. While individual humor raised many a laugh, perhaps the best joke of all was the result of the prank of old Boreas, who blew small catspaws of wind during the springtime day and was the moving force in a comical mix-up in Smithfield street. A small man, in the dignity of a silk hat, was parading along that thoroughfare, as if the fate of Greater Pittsburgh rested upon his shoulders, when the wind, frisking along in April coquettishness, swept by and presto! his tile was swirling high in the air with its puffing owner in undignified pursuit. He was followed by a crowd of yelling urchins from desire for amusement and hope of reward.

Bounding, bumping and sliding along, as if endeavoring to gather the largest amount of mud in the shortest possible time, the high hat sailed in wild abandon for about a block. At last it reached Diamond street and rested right side up on the sidewalk in a sheltered spot, while 20 yards in the rear its angry owner's maledictions sounded like an unexpurgated volume of Jack London.

Just then a fat, jolly man, turning the corner and seeing the thoroughly dilapidated headgear—just to see if the April Fool day's brick was inside—gave it a kick and sent it swirling into the air on another journey. He was, of course, unconscious of the other man's mishap.

"Insult to injury, eh?" quoth the infuriated owner, arriving and dealing the fat man a jolt on the jaw. The individual thus assailed wasted no breath on arbitration, but sailed in, and for a few moments there was a melee of mutual damage. Finally the bystanders pried the combatants apart and after explanations had been made, the mischief-making headgear was found to have disappeared.

Fate of Mr. Bull In.

There was another remarkable joke played on a group of men up on Penn avenue, near Eleventh street. At least the victims think it was a joke, but there is no means of proving it. In the afternoon, when the sidewalks were well filled with loungers looking for excitement, a tall, lanky man was seen running down the street yelling at the top of his voice, "Stop thief!" The cry was promptly taken up by another, who followed the thief hunter. Dozens joined in the chase down a side street and through an alley, all following the second man, who was playing "follow-the-leader" with the first. There were several good sprinters in the crowd, and one of them gained on the second.

"I got you!" he yelled, tripping the runner and landing him in a heap. "What did you steal?"

The crowd arrived and with the vigor born of ignorance, proceeded to accuse the prisoner with imaginary crimes from theft to arson, and all tried to hold the man at once.

"Blame it!" gasped that individual, getting purple. "I'm the fellow who was following that first fellow yelling 'Stop thief!' to help him. That's what I get for butting in!"

In the meantime the man who was shouting had entirely disappeared.

Some Hotel Humor.

At several of the hotels telephoned requests were made that "Mr. Soandso," naming a guest, would call up a certain number on the Highland exchange, as Mr. C. Lyon wished to talk to him on an important matter.

Whereat the following conversation ensued, as the victim got the proper number.

"Hello! I was asked to call up this number, as Mr. C. Lyon wished to see me on important business. Can I talk with him?"

"Who?"

"Mr. C. Lyon."

"Sorry, but Mr. Sea Lion is taking his bath. This is the Highland park zoo!"

Always Ripe for a "Junket."

The earnest lobbyist met the United States senator in the corridor of the capitol.

"Now," said he, "in view of the discussion now going on about the Isle of Pines, I'd like to ask what side you are going to take? You know that island is a land without an owner, and should be American in every respect."

"Thunder!" murmured the senator. "Don't bother me. I'm thinking up some jolly anecdotes for the Washington correspondents. Nothing to that matter, anyhow."

"But," persisted the other, "the Isle of Pines is a beautiful, tropical country, to travel there is a pleasant sea route with a stop at Palm Beach, Florida, and it seems to me a party of government investigators might profitably—"

"Good idea! The Isle of Pines should be American ground, but we'll have to look it up, have to investigate it. Count me in on a $100,000 junket down there on a government yacht to investigate things. Get the boys together and we'll rush it through, so I can bring my wife and family along."

Whereat the lobbyist passed on with a satisfied smile.

Question of National Character.

It is with considerable gratification that the American people contemplate the approaching end of the long and wearisome trial of Senator Reed Smoot before the senate committee on privileges and elections. While the right of the man from Utah to a seat in the upper house of congress is the matter directly involved, this has been really a trial of Mormonism. It must determine the rights and citizenship of nearly 300,000 religionists most of whom are in Utah and Idaho. Therefore the investigation is of great importance and the fight has taken on a national character.—Kansas City Journal.

A Rift in the Clouds.

At a time when so much that is discordant and distressing is occurring in different parts of the country and in every field of human activity, when the feeling of unrest has entered the breasts of those engaged in the uplift of the race, when religious, moral, and political convictions of long standing are being unsettled—at a time like this it is cheering to learn that M. Allen Starr, in the Medical Record, that intracranial lessons may be properly discussed as sequelae of chronic petupurulent otitis media.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

Plain Notice Given.

The supreme court remands Caleb Powers to the jurisdiction of Kentucky, but at the same time it gives plain notice that Kentucky must mend her way of turning the courts into instrumentalities of political vengeance.—New York Tribune.

The President's Specialty.

If France and Germany are looking to Mr. Roosevelt to arbitrate their difference they are making a mistake. The President's specialty is in driving the parties to a controversy into agreement.—Detroit Free Press.

Man of Excellent Taste.

A Pennsylvania man thought he wanted to die, so long as he supposed what he was swallowing was poison, but when he found he was drinking mucilage by mistake he suddenly decided he would stick it out.—Denver Republican.

To Complete Its Triumphs.

The puckerless persimmon is the latest achievement of the department of agriculture. If it could only now encompass the odorless onion or the meltless ice, its triumphs in the public service would be complete.—Baltimore American.

Answers to Correspondents.

A. W. R., Swissvale—The Hippodrome is located at Forty-fourth street and Sixth avenue. It is a combined theater and circus. There is no distinctively Hippodrome theater.

T. C. D., Knoxville—Not from the United States government. Some of the late confederate states pay small pensions to veterans who served in the confederate army.

Brilliant Man of Kansas.

The esteemed Atchison Globe asks its readers if they ever knew a "brilliant man." Didn't the editor of the Globe ever meet John J. Ingalls of Kansas?—Chicago Tribune.

LINES OF LEVITY.

"How many children has he?"

"Just the right number to bar him out of a fashionable apartment house."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

The boy was all right, notwithstanding his girly curls and a fond mother who was deathly afraid he was going to become coarse and vulgar and in other respects masculine. One day a gentleman calling at the house engaged him in conversation.

"Well, my boy," he said, after some time, "what are you going to do when you grow up?"

The boy studied the question a moment.

"Really," he replied at last, "I don't know, I suppose I ought to be a man, but from the way mamma is handling me, I'm almost afraid I'm going to be a lady."—Pittsburgh Bulletin.

"I failed to catch your name when we were introduced, Miss ——?"

"Ball."

"Gee! I ought to be fired from the team for that muff!"—Cleveland Leader.

Newitt—They say that the person with a strong imagination has absolutely no head for figures.

Marryat—Don't you believe it. When my wife gets her imagination at work upon her age she can make arithmetic look sick.—Philadelphia Press.

Silas Scrimitar—As for me, I still contend that thet there Mormon feller from Utey should n't be allowed to sit in the United States senate.

Hiram Hossenee (reflectively)—H'm! Come tew think uv it, I don't think as how anybody ever accused him uv acquirin' his wives dishonestly

RIDGWAY WIELDS THE AX PROMPTLY

Dismisses Werner and Adds His Duties to Those Already Attended to by McQuaide.

NO DETECTIVE BUREAU NOW

Within an hour after he had arrived at the public safety building yesterday, the new director, Col. Frank Ridgway, dismissed the superintendent of police, Thomas B. Werner, placed the superintendent of detectives, Thomas A. McQuaide, in charge of both the police and detective bureaus, and held a consultation with Assistant City Solicitor Levin concerning the preparation of an ordinance abolishing the detective bureau and appointing a superintendent to have charge of both policemen and detectives.

The former director of the department, Harry Moore, was not at the building to receive his successor. Hurt at the treatment he had received at the hands of Mayor Guthrie, as he expressed it, he left his office at noon, bidding goodby to the clerks in his own office. Therefore when Director Ridgway, having been sworn in by the mayor, went over to the safety building, there was no one to receive him. He walked alone into the building, shook hands with some of the detectives sitting in the outer office and then went into Supt. McQuaide's office. After talking with him awhile he took McQuaide with him to the director's office on the fourth floor, where they were closeted together for a half hour.

When McQuaide left the director sent for Supt. Werner. He told Werner he would like to have his resignation. Werner was surprised, but after he had recovered himself he said he did not see his way clear to resign at that moment, and as he said the words the director handed him a letter. It was a notice of dismissal.

McQuaide was sent for again and when he came in the director handed him a letter which announced his appointment as acting superintendent of police, the duties of which office he was directed to undertake in addition to his duties as superintendent of detectives, receiving only one salary, of course. By this time Mr. Levin had arrived, having been sent by Mayor Guthrie to consult with Ridgway and McQuaide relative to the proposed ordinance consolidating the two bureaus.

"The ordinance is to abolish the detective bureau," said Mr. Levin, "and place policemen and detectives under one superintendent. It is proposed that the superintendent shall receive a salary of $4,500, instead of $2,000, as at present."

"Was anything said about a captain of detectives, or an assistant superintendent to have direct charge of the detectives?" Mr. Levin was asked.

"No," he replied, "not at this interview. However, I will proceed to draw up an ordinance to be presented to councils, and the details can be worked out while that work is progressing."

It is considered very likely that there will be a chief of detectives, just as there is an assistant superintendent of police, for under the police administration which the new head of the safety department says he intends to give, the superintendent of police will be kept busy enough without having to hold personal interviews with the detectives every time one of them is needed for a specific duty. Most, if not all of the $3,000 saved by the abolition of the detective bureau, will be distributed between the superintendent of police and the head of the detectives and perhaps, also, the assistant superintendent of police.

Director Ridgway had a talk with Assistant Superintendent Kennelly and Inspector Robinson, Supt. Humphreys of the fire bureau and Supt. Moore of the health bureau. To none of them did he indicate whether or not he would reappoint them.

It is understood that there will be a thorough reorganization of the department, but it is asserted that no employe will be discharged for political reasons. It is expected that there will be some dismissals in the detective bureau, especially as Supt. McQuaide is to have a free hand, with due regard to civil service rules.

DIRECTOR MOORE FEELS HURT AND HUMILIATED

Thinks the Mayor Has Treated Him Shabbily—Did Not Tell Him He Was Not Wanted.

Ex-Director Moore of the department of public safety is indignant and feels hurt. While packing his papers and effects yesterday in the public safety building, getting them in such shape that he need not return to the building, but can have them brought away by messenger, he voiced his feelings concerning the manner in which he had been treated by Mayor Guthrie. He said:

"If Mr. Guthrie had come out like a man and told me that he did not want me to be the director of the department and for me not to expect reappointment I would have been far more satisfied than I am now over the unkind way in which I have been treated. Since the election I have not heard from him; I have not even received a word of thanks for the support I gave him in his campaign. Never in all my experience, in public and private life, have I been treated so shabbily. I feel humiliated."

James A. Clark, the county commissioner and Democratic leader, was asked his opinion of the mayor's appointments.

"I am satisfied," said Mr. Clark. "Mr. Guthrie is the mayor, and the people expect much from him, and on him rests the responsibility for his administration, so that he has the right to select his own department heads without interference from anyone. However, I think Harry Moore should have been reappointed. He has administered the affairs of his office well; has been an honest, efficient officer, and by his efficiency, honesty and squareness on election day he greatly contributed to the election of Mayor Guthrie."

NEW TYPHOID CASES AVERAGE 18 A DAY

Thirty-six cases of typhoid fever were among the contagious diseases reported to the bureau of health yesterday, but they included two days. The other cases reported were five of scarlet fever, two of diphtheria, seven of pneumonia, 10 of measles, two of chickenpox and one of mumps.

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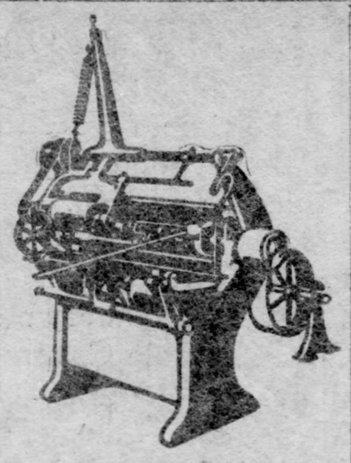

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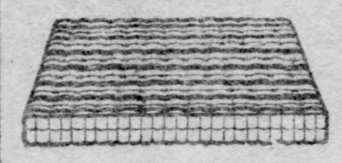

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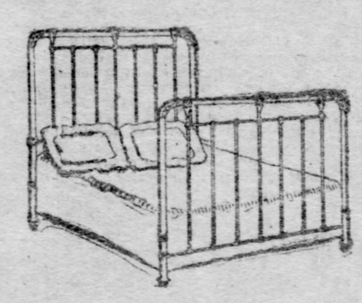

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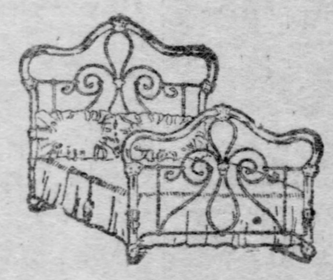

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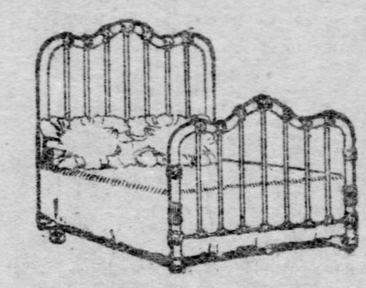

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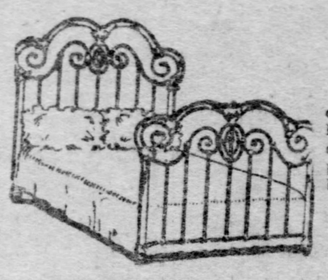

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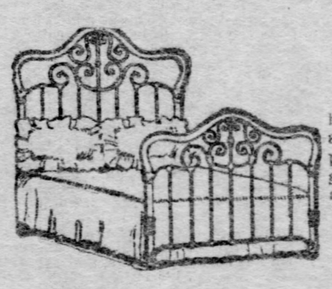

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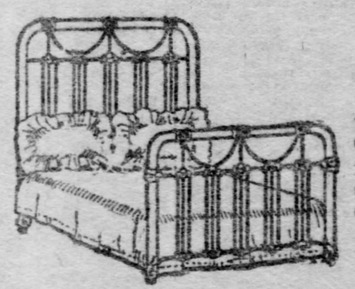

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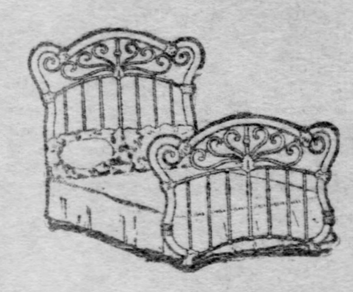

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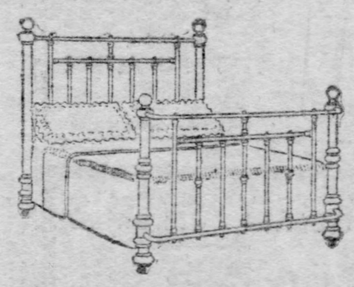

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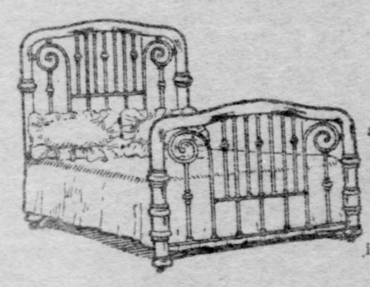

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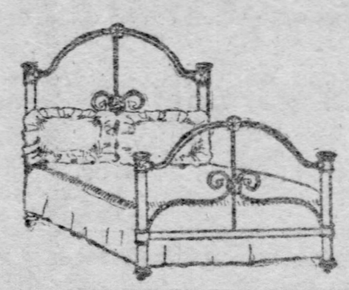

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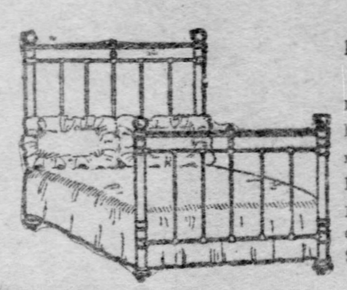

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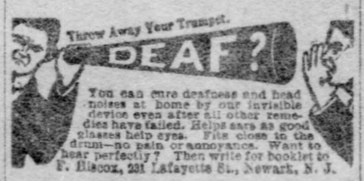

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HOLD CONFERENCE ON SABBATH SCHOOL WORK

Interesting Session of Presbyterian Association in Sixth Church.

The spring meeting of the Presbyterian Sabbath School association of the Presbytery of Pittsburgh was held yesterday afternoon in the First Presbyterian church, Sixth avenue. An address on "Ways of Teaching and Working" was delivered by Dr. George W. Mead of the Second church of Wilkinsburg, and following it a general conference on "How May We Make Our Sabbath Schools More Efficient" was held. The following officers were elected: President, the Rev. Dr. Samuel Callen; first vice president, the Rev. O. N. Verner; second vice president, the Rev. George Whitefield Mead; treasurer, N. A. Boothe; secretary, William C. Lilley.

The Pittsburgh presbytery will meet today in the Sixth church, when commissioners from the ministry and laity will be chosen to attend the general assembly at Des Moines, Ia., next month. Aside from this the business of the presbytery will be the reception and arranging for the installation of new members, among whom are the Rev. Dr. George W. Mead, Second church, Wilkinsburg; the Rev. Frank S. Brenneman, Concord church, Carrick, and the Rev. O. H. Gilson, Castle Shannon church. It is likely that a favorable report will be made on the proposed joining of the Pittsburgh and Allegheny presbyteries.

The meeting of Westmoreland presbytery of the United Presbyterian church will be held today at the First church, McKeesport, when arrangements will be made for the installation of the Rev. McElwee Rose of Newark, N. J., as pastor of the McKeesport church. Chartiers presbytery met yesterday at the Publication building, Ninth street, to forward the call of the First church of Washington, Pa., to the Rev. J. C. Hamilton of Albany, N. Y.

A conference of the ministers of the Allegheny district of the Methodist Episcopal church will be held at Sewickley on April 17. Addresses will be made by the Rev. Dr. Charles W. Blodgett, the Rev. H. D. Whitfield, Dr. J. M. Thoburn and the Rev. J. B. Risk.

DESIRE FOR MUNICIPAL OWNERSHIP TO BE TESTED

Citizens of Chicago to Vote on the Street Railway Question at Election to Be Held Today.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, April 2.—Desirability of municipal ownership of street railways will be submitted to the popular vote tomorrow, and the result is awaited with great interest. Members of the Municipal Ownership league have worked hard to secure the indorsement of the "Little Ballot," as the ticket bearing the three questions relative to municipal ownership is named.

The usual party lines which exist at an aldermanic election in Chicago have been largely obliterated, and the eligibility of candidates is construed in the light of their attitude toward municipal ownership and a high license for saloons.

The liquor interests are making a strong fight against the aldermen who are up for re-election who voted for the $1,000 liquor license ordinance recently passed by council. The liquor license was formerly $500, and it is thought if the liquor interests win the aldermanic fight it will again be reduced to the old sum. The numerous crimes against women committed in Chicago have caused a belief they were indirectly the result of the many saloons which existed under a low license.

BATES' BILL IS PASSED.

House Acts Favorably on Employers Liability Bill to Protect Railroad Men.

WASHINGTON, April 2.—The employers' liability bill, a measure introduced by Representative A. L. Bates of Meadville, Pa., and designed for the protection of the interests of the millions of men who are employed on the railroads of the country, passed the house today without division, and by a practically unanimous vote.

The bill was introduced in the house during the three years. It was introduced by Mr. Bates at the first session of the last congress, but failed to receive consideration in that congress, and was again introduced on the opening day of this session.

According to the bill any railroad engaged in interstate commerce is made liable for the death or injury of any of its employes resulting from the negligence of its officers, agents or employes, or by reason of any defect or insufficiency due to its negligence in its cars, engines, appliances, machinery, tracks, ways or works. Where suit is instituted for damages as a result of the death of an employe, contributory negligence shall not bar a recovery where his contributory negligence was slight and that of the employer was gross in comparison, but the damages shall be diminished by the jury in proportion to the amount of negligence attributable to the employes.

Section three of the bill is to render void any contract of employment, insurance, relief benefit or indemnity made to relieve the employer of any liability for damages to an employe for personal injuries arising out of the negligence of a co-employe.

LOOTS A MANSION.

Supposed Attorney Is Arrested Charged With Stealing Goods and Securities Worth $100,000.

NEW YORK, April 2.—Detective Lawrence of Minneapolis, arrested Thomas J. Wainwright, describing himself as a lawyer of Boston, who is charged with robbing the residence of Dr. Nicholas J. Pinault of Minneapolis, of jewelry, and securities to the value of $100,000. Just before starting for Pass Christian, Miss., last winter, the doctor engaged as caretaker of his Minneapolis home Thomas J. Wainwright. Toward the end of February Dr. Pinault learned that his caretaker had disappeared and with him practically everything of value in the Pinault mansion.

DOWIE MAY LOSE ALL.

Title to Property Is Transferred to Deacon of Church and Founder Is Criticized.

CHICAGO, April 2.—Dr. John Alexander Dowie, erstwhile high priest of Zion, was stripped of both power and property today.

Early in the day title in all the Zion City property was transferred by warranty deed from Dowie to Deacon Alexander Granger. The latter also was given a bill of sale for all the personal property of the "prophet," including even his household furniture. This move was accomplished through the power of attorney held by Deputy Overseer Voliva, Mrs. Dowie and her son, Gladstone Dowie, joining in the action.

Geronimo to Exhibit Himself.

LAWTON, OKLA., April 2.—(Special.)—The war department has issued an order permitting Chief Geronimo to sign a contract as an attraction with a Wild West show. It is said that his salary will be the largest ever drawn by a single person with such an entertainment. The chief will join the show in two weeks.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday:

William E. Johnson, Georgia Holmes; Solomon Lyon, Delia Israel; Allen E. Norus, Martha D. Gregen, Bertie W. Yohey, Ada C. Holmes, all of Pittsburgh.

Harry A. Patterson, Beatrice Stiles, Allegheny.

J. H. Noden, Jennie Johnston, Turtle Creek.

William H. Long, Cora M. Toy, Wilkinsburg.

Michael Leow, Mary Eckardt, Coraopolis.

Edward Brown, Clara [illegible], Aliquippa.

Peter Nusser, Lena Comen, West Liberty.

Phillip Beck, Carmella Maggie Ballew, Washington; Austin G. Bowen, Pittsburgh.

Dora Rose, Knoxville; Emil Michalich, Ellwood, Mari Seiffert, Pittsburgh.

DEATH CALLS TWO AGED BROTHERS ON SAME DAY

One in Pittsburgh, the Other in Youngstown, They Die as They Worked, Together.

Two aged brothers, pioneer settlers in the Ohio valley, passed quietly to their long rest yesterday morning. Though one, Philip Scholl, lived in Pittsburgh and the other, John Scholl, in Youngstown, scarcely one hour elapsed after the death of the first until he was followed by the brother with whom he had endured all the hardships, privations and dangers incident to their early life in Western Pennsylvania.

The brothers left their home in Heidelburg, Germany, in 1846, and coming to America settled in the Ohio valley, where by pluck and industry they at length became prosperous drovers.

Later, as their families grew and other interests diverted their attention, they sold their profitable stock farms and John moved to Youngstown, while Philip made his home at 2300 Wylie avenue, where he has been cared for during his old age by Miss Emeline, the only one of his eight surviving children who did not marry. Three of his sons, Martin, Louis A. and Charles, live in Pittsburgh, while George makes his home in Paterson, N. J. Two of his daughters, Mrs. George Greenwald and Mrs. Philip, are of this city, while the last, Mrs. Max Sebolt, resides in Lexington, Ky.

COLEMAN DECLARES HIS FAITH IN MASSES

McKeesport's New Mayor Is Inducted Into Office, and Councils Reorganize.

In the presence of both branches of councils and a crowded lobby, William H. Coleman was yesterday noon sworn in as mayor of McKeesport by his predecessor, George J. F. Falkenstein. At the close of the inauguration the new mayor delivered a strong address. In his first message to councils Mr. Coleman said: "It is a question whether the government of our cities is to us a credit or the reverse. Somehow or other I have faith in the masses."

Previous to the inauguration select and common councils were organized. Archie Duncan was for the third time elected chairman of select council, and Joseph Roche was elected chairman of the lower branch. John Alderin, recently employed in the county recorder's office, was elected clerk of common council. There are no changes in select council. Mayor Coleman declines to make known his cabinet, and no changes are expected for several weeks.

WILL BE A GALA EVENT.

Annual Reception of the Kaufmann Employes Association Scheduled for Duquesne Garden April 18.

Usually the entertainment and reception which is the star social event of the year for Kaufmann's 2,500 employes, occurs in midwinter, but this function has so grown in prestige and brilliance that the capacity of Syria temple no longer adequately accommodates it, and this year's affair was accordingly postponed until after the close of the skating season, in order that the festivities might be held in the spacious Duquesne garden auditorium.

Wednesday evening, April 18—the midnight of Easter week, is the date selected and as this evening come immediately after the Knights Templar's ball at the garden, the elaborate decorations will serve for both occasions.

Rocereto's band of 60 artists, famous for the dash and spirit with which it renders the kind of music the people want, will present a popular program as the opening feature, which will include several unique and artistic solo features. This band concert will be followed by the pleasures of the dance. Refreshments will be served in the hall on the second floor.

The reception and entertainment, while given under the auspices of the K. B. & P. A., is not limited by any means to the attaches of the store. The general public is cordially invited to be present.

DEALERS MAKE DELIVERIES.

With Fewer Wagons and Inexperienced Drivers Ice Men Serve Their Trade as Usual.

Although the ice wagon drivers were on a strike yesterday very few complaints were heard from the consumers of the city. While all the companies were compelled to run fewer wagons than is customary, and were forced in many instances to hire inexperienced men, they delivered ice as usual. The Consolidated Ice Company, the largest in the county, had 57 out of 64 wagons on the streets, and claim that they could have had them all out if it had been necessary. This average was maintained by all the ice companies except the Penn Ice Company in Wilkinsburg, where they could only send out 3 out of 11.

The striking drivers held a meeting last night in Arnfeld's hall, but it was secret, and they would not say what was done. It was learned, however, that they intend to take all means to bring the bosses to terms, but will refrain from violence if possible. No attempt has been made as yet to have a conference with the league, and from the statement made by members of that organization last night, it will bring no results anyhow. They say they will not deal with the men except as individuals.

Finds an Abandoned Babe.

As Policeman William Sloan passed No. 4628 Bayard street shortly before 10 o'clock last night he noticed what appeared to be a bundle of rags on the porch. Upon investigation it proved to be a two-weeks-old girl baby wrapped in an old blanket. The child wore no cloths and appeared to be half-starved. She was sent to No. 4 police station and later to the Rosalia Foundling asylum.

Bad Fire in Akron.

AKRON, O., April 2.—(Special.)—The plant of the Falls Rivet and Machine Company of Cuyahoga Falls, was almost totally destroyed by fire tonight, throwing 200 people out of employment. The fire started in the machine department and quickly spread to other parts of the building. The loss is estimated at $100,000.

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Bullock Is Found Dying.

Michael Bullock, aged 45, was found in a stable in McKeesport yesterday, in a dying condition and expired on the way to the hospital. The coroner is investigating the case. Henry Bevis, living in the rear of 423 Water street, was found dead. The body of the man known as "Joe," who hung himself in the barn of Mrs. Christina Storch in Allegheny, on Sunday, was identified as that of Joseph Martin, aged 55. He has no relatives here.

Three Italians Drown.

INDIANA, PA., April 2.—(Special.)—Three Italians lost their lives yesterday while rowing in a skiff at Saltsburg. The dead are Pietro Martini, Michaele Mellnef and Antonio Nicastro. The three men, with a fourth, started to row across the river, and when in the middle of the stream the boat capsized. The fourth man managed to scramble back to the boat and was rescued. The bodies of the drowned men have not been recovered. All were married.

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DIRECTORS OF PANAMA RAILROAD WANT CANAL

Traffic During Last Year Has Been Good on the Isthmus and Big Earnings Are Reported.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, April 2.—The annual meetings of the stockholders and of the directors of the Panama Railroad Company were held today in this city. The following directors were elected: T. P. Shonts, Charles E. Magoon, Mordecai T. Endicott, Peter C. Hains, J. D. De Obaldia, John F. Stevens, Roger L. Farnham, E. A. Drake, Clarence R. Edwards, William Nelson Cromwell, Oswald H. Ernst, B. M. Harrod and W. Leon Perpernan. T. P. Shonts was re-elected president, and John F. Stevens was elected vice president and general manager.

The grand total of earnings of all branches of the company was $3,077,611 as compared with $2,541,099 for the same period of 1904. The grand total of expenses were $2,319,938 as compared with $1,640,579 for the previous period. Total net earnings, $757,672 as compared with $900,519 for the year previous.

Secretary Taft, who was present at the meeting, said: "We have got to a point now when it is very necessary that some plan be adopted for the construction of the canal. When some definite plan of construction is adopted then the work can go ahead with new vigor. We all hope that some plan will be passed upon very soon by the government."

Superintendents to Drive Bible Schools.

The third annual dinner of the Allegheny County Bible School Superintendents' association will be held this evening at the Union club, and about 300 are expected to attend. The principal address will be made by Marion Lawrence of Toledo. In the afternoon Mr. Lawrence will make an address at a conference of Bible school workers at the First Presbyterian church, Sixth avenue. D. W. Wylie, president of the association, will act as toastmaster at the dinner.

The Death Roll.

George B. Turner.

BUTLER, PA., April 2.—George B. Turner, a leading citizen of Butler county, is dead at Canton, N. D., where he was visiting his son, Dr. Frank Turner, superintendent of the South Dakota insane asylum. Mr. Turner was born in Parker township in 1846 and was a son of the late William R. Turner. He served in the civil war and later located on a farm near West Sunbury. In 1864 he married Sarah Gibson. She survives him with four children: Mrs. Stella Campbell of West Sunbury, Charles B. of Roolnson, Va.; Dr. Frank of Canton, S. D., and Harvey of Gordon, Neb. He was trustee of the West Sunbury Presbyterian church and for many years held the office of justice of the peace.

Henry Bergund.

Henry Bergund, aged 71, died yesterday morning at his home, 35 Cherry street, Etna, death resulting from a stroke of paralysis sustained several days ago. He was born in Germany, but for the last forty years had been a resident of Etna. He was in the iron business for many years, but recently retired. Mr. Bergund is survived by three sons and two daughters.

William Fellabom.

William Fellabom, aged 54, of Hays borough, died yesterday. He was president of the Fellabom Coal and Sand Company of McKeesport, which he founded seven years ago. Prior to that time he was superintendent of the mines of the Hays Coal Company. He is survived by his widow and two daughters, Misses Maude and Nannie.

Obituary Notes.

Mrs. Mary Boerkley (nee McGraw), was found dead at her home in Eighth avenue, Munhall, Sunday night. She was 37 years of age and is survived by her husband and four children.

John E. Boyle, aged 64, a former resident of Wilkinsburg, died Sunday at Kearney City, Neb. He served throughout the civil war as a member of the Sixty-third Pennsylvania volunteers and was a member of Major Lowry post, No. 548, Grand Army of the Republic.

Mrs. Elizabeth Bandi, aged 78, wife of David Bandi, Sr., a retired oil operator, died at her home in Hite, Pa., Sunday. Mrs. Bandi was a member of the German Evangelical church of Tarentum. She is survived by her husband and six children—David Bandi, Jr., of Tarentum, Mrs. Mary McCutcheon of Brackenridge, Mrs. Tillie Jones of Hite and William, Jacob and Elizabeth at home.

John Ferguson, aged 75, for the last 30 years superintendent of Highwood cemetery, Allegheny, died yesterday afternoon at his home, in Brighton road. He was born in Glasgow, Scotland, but had been a resident of Allegheny for many years. Mr. Ferguson was a member of the McClure Avenue Presbyterian church. He leaves three sons and a daughter.

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DIED.

BOELKY—On Sunday, April 1, 1906, at 9:30 a. m., Mrs. MAY BOELKY (nee McGraw), relict of Charles P. Boelky, at her residence, 982 Ninth avenue, Munhall, Pa. Notice of funeral later.

CHAMBERS—On Sunday, April 1, 1906, at 5 p. m., MARTHA JANE, widow of Alexander Chambers, in her 82d year.

Funeral services at her late residence, Fifth avenue, Shadyside, on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment private. Kindly omit flowers.

FELLABOM—On Sunday, April 1, 1906, at 10:55 p. m., at the family residence, Hays borough, Pa., WILLIAM M., husband of Mary Newlin Fellabom, aged 59 years.

Funeral on Wednesday afternoon, at 1 o'clock. Services at the Hays Methodist Episcopal church, at 1:30 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

FERGUSON—On Monday, April 2, 1906, at 12:30 p. m., JOHN FERGUSON, in his 76th year.

Funeral services at his late residence, Highwood cemetery, Brighton road, Allegheny City, on Wednesday, April 4, at 2:30 p. m. Interment private.

FLANNERY—On Sunday, April 1, 1906, at 8:45 p. m., at her home, 2 Singer's Row, West Carson street, MARGARET THRESSA, daughter of Martin and Mary Flannery (nee Gannon), aged 15 years.

Funeral on Wednesday, at 8:30 a. m. High mass at St. James' church at 9 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

GUYTON—On Saturday, March 31, 1906, at 3:25 p. m., FRANCIS RAYMOND, eldest son of G. F. and Margaret B. Guyton (nee Hagan), aged 3 years.

Funeral services at the family residence, 500 Kelly avenue, Wilkinsburg, on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment private at a later hour.

[Louisville (Ky.) and Uhrichsville (O.) papers please copy.]

HARPER—On Monday, April 2, 1906, at 5:20 p. m., MARY MATHILDA HARPER, in her 76th year.

Funeral services at the residence of her son-in-law, W. J. Norris, 6324 Kedron avenue, East End, this evening at 8 o'clock. Interment at Tarentum, Pa., Wednesday, at 2 p. m.

LAWMAN—On Sunday, April 1, 1906, at 5:40 a. m., JASPER HOLMAN LAWMAN, in his 81st year.

Funeral services at his residence 525 N. Negley ave., East End, Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Interment private.

LLOYD—On Saturday night, March 31, 1906, DAVID S. LLOYD, in his 56th year.

Funeral services at the residence of his sister, Mary Lloyd, Greentree borough, this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family respectfully invited to attend.

PATTEN—On Saturday, March 31, 1906, at 7:35 p. m., MARY BATHGATE, wife of Mr. Chas. Patten of Conway, Pa., in her 52d year.

Funeral Tuesday, April 3, 1906, at 2 p. m. from the residence of his father, Mr. R. J. Patten, 1621 Bayard st., Allegheny. Friends of the family are invited.

ROBERTSON—On Monday, April 2, 1906, at 8:30 p. m., MARY M., widow of Robert Robertson, Jr., at the home of her father, Henry Hoehl, Sr., 511 Stanton avenue, Millvale borough.

Notice of funeral later.

SCHOLL—On Monday, April 2, 1906, at 7 a. m., at his residence, 2300 Wylie avenue, JOHN PHILIP SCHOLL, in his 87th year.

Funeral services Wednesday, April 4, at 2 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment private later.

STAIGER—Suddenly, on Monday, April 2, 1906, at 2:30 p. m., MARGARET, daughter of John M. and Margaret A. Staiger (nee Fohrer), aged 3 years 2 months 25 days, at the family residence, 1528 Howard avenue, Allegheny.

Funeral services at the Tenth U. P. church, corner Middle and Second street, Allegheny, on Wednesday, at 2:30 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment private at a later hour.

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GENERALLY NECESSARY TO DISLODGE AN ENEMY.

Energetic, persevering action is generally necessary to overcome the obstacles and attain great and noble ends in life. So, too, if one is afflicted with a dread disease which has fastened itself upon some of the organs of the body and become firmly seated as a lingering or chronic malady, active and *persistent* treatment is generally necessary to dislodge the enemy.

Since any medical treatment, however good it may be, must be long continued in order to be effective in old established and therefore obstinate cases, how important that the remedical agencies employed be of a harmless character. To be safe and harmless, when their use is thus protracted, they should be of such nature as to be easily eliminated or carried out of the system when they have performed their work, just as the refuse of food is carried out of the system. Most mineral medicines are not thus easily gotten rid of. Take arsenic, for instance, if introduced into the system in any considerable quantity it will lodge in the brain, liver, kidneys and other parts and there remain as a foreign body to set up irritation and disease for a long period of time if death does not sooner intervene. This is also true of most mineral medicines.

With medicines of vegetable composition it is different. They do their work by aiding the natural functions of the several organs of the body for which they have an affinity, and like the refuse of our food, are carried out of the system through the natural emunctories—the lungs, skin, kidneys and bowels. Thus no injury is done to the system in cases where the use of such medicines is continued for a long period of time. Especially is this true if the medicine taken is free from alcohol. It is well known, however, that even small portions of alcohol taken for a considerable period of time will do serious injury to the bodily organs and functions and especially to the brain. How important then, in choosing a medicine for treating a malady of long standing, and when medicines must, in order to cure, be preseveringly taken for a considerable period of time, that those only should be used which are *known* to be free from alcohol and of vegetable composition.

With most medicines put up for family use and sold through druggists, their composition is kept a profound secret, known only to those who compound and put them out for sale. Any afflicted person who buys and uses them, does so, as it were, in the dark, if not indeed at his or her peril. They may and generally do, contain a very large percentage of alcohol or cheap whisky which thoroughly unfits them for protracted use. But this is not the worst fault of many of them, objectionable though it is. Narcotics and mineral poisons, which we have shown to be so harmful, especially when used protractedly, are contained in many of these secret compounds.

To overcome the well-grounded and reasonable objections of the more intelligent to the use of secret, medicinal compounds, Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., some time ago, decided to make a bold departure from the usual course pursued by the makers of put-up medicines for domestic use, and so has published broadcast and openly to the whole world, a full and complete list of all the ingredients entering into the composition of his widely celebrated medicines. Thus he has taken his numerous patrons and patients into his full confidence. Thus too he has removed his medicines from among secret nostrums of doubtful merits, and made them *Remedies of Known Composition*. By this bold step he has shown that his formulas are of such excellence that he is not afraid to subject them to the fullest scrutiny. He has come to believe, and is willing to concede, that his patients and all who take his put-up medicines have a perfect right to know what they are taking into their stomachs.

Not only does the wrapper of every bottle of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, the famous medicine for weak stomach, torpid liver or biliousness and all catarrhal diseases wherever located, have printed upon it, *in plain English*, a full and complete list of all the ingredients composing it, but a small book has been compiled from numerous standard medical works, of all the different schools of practice, containing very numerous extracts from the writings of leading practitioners of medicine, endorsing *in the strongest possible terms*, each and every ingredient contained in Dr. Pierce's medicines. One of these little books will be mailed free to any one sending address on postal card or by letter, to Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., and requesting the same. From this little book it will be learned that Dr. Pierce's medicines contain no alcohol, narcotics, mineral agents or other poisonous or injurious agents; that they are made from indigenous, or native, medicinal roots of great value, the properties of which are extracted and perfectly preserved by the use of triple-refined, chemically pure glycerine of proper strength. It will also be found that the glycerine employed greatly enhances the curative principles of the several roots employed, as it is the best possible solvent of their medicinal principles, besides possessing intrinsic medicinal value of its own, being a fine demulcent, nutritive, antiseptic and antiferment.

From perusing this little book of extracts, it will be found that some of the most valuable ingredients contained in Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription for weak, nervous, over-worked, "run-down," and debilitated women, were employed, long years ago, by the Indians for similar ailments affecting their squaws. In fact, one of the most valuable medicinal plants entering into the composition of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription was known to the Indians as "Squaw-Weed." Our knowledge of the uses of not a few of our most valuable native, medicinal plants was gained from the Indians.

As made up by improved and exact processes, the "Favorite Prescription" is a most efficient remedy for regulating all the womanly functions, correcting displacements, as prolapsus, anteversion and retroversion, overcoming painful periods, toning up the nerves and bringing about a perfect state of health. It cures the backache, the dragging-down distress in the pelvic region, the pain and tenderness over the ovaries, dries up the pelvic catarrhal drain, so disagreeable and weakening, and overcomes every form of weakness incident to the organs distinctly feminine.

"Favorite Prescription" is the only medicine for women, the makers of which are not afraid to print their formula on the bottle wrapper, thus taking their patrons into their full confidence. It is the only medicine for women, every ingredient of which has the strongest possible endorsement of the most eminent medical practitioners and writers of our day, recommending it for the diseases for which "Favorite Prescription" is used. It is the only put-up medicine for women, sold through druggists, which does not contain a large percentage of alcohol, so harmful in the long run, especially to delicate women. It has more genuine cures to its credit than all other medicines for women combined, having saved thousands of sufferers from the surgeon's knife. It has restored delicate, weak women to strong and vigorous health and virility, making motherhood possible where there was barrenness before, thereby brightening and making happy many thousands of homes by the advent of little ones to strengthen the marital bonds and add sunshine where gloom and despondency had reigned before.

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FOR THE EAST.

Pennsylvania Special	12.54 a.m.
Manhattan Limited	12.55 a.m.
Keystone Express	3.00 a.m.
The Pennsylvania Limited	6.45 a.m.
New York Limited	7.05 a.m.
Atlantic Express	7.30 a.m.
Main Line Express	8.00 a.m.
Day Express	12.01 p.m.
Chicago Mail (for Balt. and Wash.)	4.50 p.m.
Eastern Express	4.55 p.m.
New York Express	7.10 p.m.
Philadelphia Express	8.50 p.m.
New York Special	9.40 p.m.
Chicago and New York Express	10.00 p.m.
Philadelphia Special	10.02 p.m.
Cincinnati and New York Express	11.10 p.m.

For Buffalo, 8.00 a. m. and 11.00 p. m. daily.

For Oil City, 6.20, 9.00 a. m., 1.20, 5.05, and 11.00 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 9.00 a. m., 5.05 and 11.00 p. m.

For Titusville and Corry, 9.00 a. m. and 11.00 p. m. daily. For Titusville only, 1.20 p. m. week-days.

For Du Bois, 6.20, 9.00 a. m., 1.20 and 5.05 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 9.00 a. m. and 5.05 p. m.

For Connellsville and Uniontown, 5.15, 8.20 a. m., 12.20 and 5.07 p. m. week-days, 8.00 a. m. and 4.52 p. m. Sundays.

For Brownsville and Uniontown, 10.55 a. m., 4.40 p. m. week-days, and 4.40 p. m. Sundays. For Brownsville only, 8.10, 8.20, 9.15 a. m., 1.05, 3.25, 7.30, and 11.55 p. m. week-days; 7.00, 8.50 a. m. and 1.05, 10.40 and 9.40 p. m. Sundays. For West Brownsville, 1.05 and 8.25 p. m. week-days. For Dravosburg, West Elizabeth, Monongahela City, and Belle Vernon, 6.10, 8.20, 9.15, 10.55 a. m., 1.05, 3.25, 4.40 (5.25 to Monongahela City), 7.20 and 11.55 p. m., week-days. Sundays, 7.00, 9.50 a. m., 1.05, 4.40, 5.00 and 9.40 p. m.

For Butler, 3.05 and 8.10 p. m.

FROM ALLEGHENY:

For Butler, 6.30, 8.25, 11.25 a. m., 2.20 and 5.45 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 7.00 a. m., 9.30 p. m.

The Excelsior Baggage Express Company will call for and check Baggage from Hotels and Residences. Time cards and full information can be obtained at the Ticket Offices—No. 639 Fifth avenue, corner Fourth avenue and Try street, and Union Station.

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Pittsburgh Union Station.

Pennsylvania Lines.

By Central Standard Time.

TRAINS LEAVE FOR

CHICAGO {(Ft. Wayne Route) *8.15 am *7 am *7 pm *8.45 pm *11.45 pm. (Pan-Handle Route) *1.30 am *12.30 pm *6 pm.

ST. LOUIS *1.30 am *8.50 am *8 am *5 pm *8.15 pm *8.45 pm.

CLEVELAND *8.15 am 10.40 am *7.30 am *8 am *1 pm *1.30 pm *6 pm *11 pm.

INDIANAPOLIS *1.20 am *4.50 am *8 am *5 pm *8.15 pm *8.45 pm.

CINCINNATI *1.30 am *4.50 am *8 am *8.15 pm *8.45 pm.

LOUISVILLE *4.50 am *5 pm *8.15 pm *8.45 pm.

COLUMBUS *1.30 am *4.50 am *8 am *12.40 pm *5 pm *8.15 pm *8.45 pm.

TOLEDO AND DETROIT *11.30 am *8.55 pm.

ERIE *7.35 am *4.30 pm 10.10 pm.

JAMESTOWN *8.30 am 7.35 am †12 pm †4.20 pm 10.10 pm.

NEW CASTLE *8.30 am *7.30 am *7.35 am *8.30 am †12 pm *1.30 pm *4.30 pm *6.20 pm *10.55 pm 10.10 pm.

ASHTABULA *8.30 am 4.30 pm.

YOUNGSTOWN *7.30 am *8.30 am *1.30 pm *4.30 pm.

AKRON *8.15 am 10.40 am *7.30 am *8 am *5 pm *11 pm.

BARBERTON 10.40 am *7.30 am *8 am.

WHEELING *6.20 am *8.20 am *11.50 am *3.35 pm *7 pm.

MERCER and OIL CITY *7.35 am *4.30 pm.

BELLAIRE *8.40 am *8.05 am *1 pm *6.02 pm *7.35 am 10.10 pm.

ALLIANCE *4.30 am *8 am *1.35 pm *4.25 pm *5 pm.

WASHINGTON, PA., *6 am †9 am *8.45 am *1.20 pm †8 pm *4.10 pm *5.05 pm †6.15 pm †12.20 pm †7.20 am 10.10 pm 10.10 pm.

STEUBENVILLE (Pan-Handle Route) *2.40 am *8.05 am *2.30 pm *4.20 pm †11 pm †11.55 am. (C. & P. Div.) *6.40 am *8.05 am *1 pm *4.02 pm *6.02 pm *7.35 am 10.10 pm.

*Daily. †Week days. ‡Sundays. A Lv. Allegheny.

BALTIMORE & OHIO R. R.

Eastern Standard Time.

Leave Station, Smithfield and Water Streets.

LINES EAST VIA WASHINGTON, D. C.

Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia and New York, *8.5A. M., *1:15 P. M., *6:30 P. M., *9:30 P. M.

Cumberland Accom., *6:30 A. M.

Uniontown, Morgantown & Fairm't., *8:00 A. M., 12:00, $4:00, *5:00 P. M.

Connellsville Acc., *6:30 A. M., 12:00 P. M., *4:00 P. M.

Clarksburg and Weston, 18:00 A. M., 5:00 P. M.

Mt. Pleasant, 14:00 P.M.

West Newton Accom., 19:10 A. M., 6:40 P. M.

LINES WEST VIA WHEELING.

Wheeling, *7:00 (local), 17:50, *8:30, *9:20 A. M., *1:25, *4:30, *5:05 (local), *8:50 P. M.

Columbus, Cincinnati and St. Louis, *8:30 A. M., *8:50 P. M.

Parkersburg and Kenova, 17:50 A. M., *9:20 A. M.

Parkersburg, *1:25 P. M., *4:30 P. M.

All trains stop at Washington, Pa.

LINES WEST VIA AKRON.

Cleveland, Akron and Lorain, *7:45 A. M.

Chicago and Cleveland, *5:40 P. M.

Chicago Limited, *8:05 P. M.

Leaving Allegheny, River Ave. and 9th St. Butler, 7:00, 7:30, 8:15, 11:00 A. M., 1:15, 3:00, 5:30, *6:45 and *11:55 P. M.

Foxburg and Clarion, 18:15 A. M., 13:00 P. M.

Kane, 18:15 A. M. Erie, 18:15 A. M., 1:15 P. M.

Ellwood City, 1:15 P. M., 5:50 P. M., 6:45 P. M.

New Castle, 5:30 P. M., 6:45 P. M.

Mercer and Greenville, 18:15 A. M., 1:15 P. M., 13:00 P. M.

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday. ‡Sunday only.

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NEW YORK CENTRAL LINES

Pittsburgh & Lake Erie R.R. Cleveland Short Line.

Schedule in Effect June 25, 1905.

Central Time.	Depart.	Arrive.
Chicago, Toledo & Detroit	* 7:15 am	* 8:35 pm
Cleveland "Flyer"	* 7:15 am	* 5:30 pm
Cleveland & Youngstown Ex.	* 8:15 am	* 5:00 pm
Buffalo Limited	* 9:00 am	* 3:00 pm
Cleveland, Toledo & Detroit	*12:35 pm	* 8:35 pm
Cleveland and Chautauqua	* 3:00 pm	*12:15 pm
Buffalo & Eastern Express	†12:35 pm	† 6:35 pm
Lake Chautauqua Past Line	* 3:00 pm	*10:00 pm
Buffalo & Erie Express	* 3:30 pm	*10:00 pm
Cleveland & Chicago Ex.	* 3:30 pm	*12:15 pm
Boston Special	* 5:00 pm	* 5:55 am
Cleveland & Detroit "Flyer"	* 6:15 pm	*11:15 am
Chicago Limited	* 8:15 pm	* 6:35 am
Buffalo Express	*10:00 pm	* 6:35 am
Cleveland Night Express	*11:00 pm	* 6:35 am
Youngstown Local	† 5:30 am	* 9:00 am
Beaver Falls Local	† 7:45 am	† 5:35 am
Beaver Falls Local	† 1:10 pm	† 9:50 am
Beaver Falls Local	† 5:30 pm	†12:00 pm
New Castle Local	†11:55 am	* 4:15 pm
New Castle Express	† 4:20 pm	†7:20 pm
New Castle Express	† 9:30 am	† 1:10 pm
Beaver Falls Express	† 5:30 pm	* 9:00 pm
Brownsville Local	† 7:00 pm	† 6:45 am
Brownsville & N. Hav. Ex.	* 6:50 am	* 7:00 am
McKeesport & Brownsville	* 8:00 am	* 8:00 am
Brownsville & New Haven	*11:30 am	*11:40 am
Monessen Express	* 3:30 pm	* 4:05 pm
Brownsville Express	* 5:00 pm	* 6:05 pm
Brownsville Express	†10:20 pm	† 1:50 pm

P., C. & Y. trains for Carnegie, Beadling and Beechmont, 18:30 a. m., 12:30 p.

NEWS OF STATE AND NEIGHBORHOOD

ALTHOUGH LEGALLY DEAD WAIT IS STILL LIVING

Returns After 14 Years Absence and Finds Himself Most Peculiarly Situated at Home.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW CASTLE, April 2.—Although having been declared legally dead by Judge Porter last fall, Robert Wait arrived here today after an absence of 14 years. Wait could not be located during the years he was away and taxes were fast eating up the $800 estate he left. His brother and sister finally applied to the court to have the missing brother declared dead in order that an administrator might be appointed to settle his estate.

This was done after they had exhausted every means of locating their brother. They supposed he was actually dead. It was not until he arrived today that anything different was known. He will not appeal to the law, the matter being satisfactorily settled in the family.

Wait now occupies a peculiar position. He can scarcely be made to pay taxes and it is doubtful if he could contract any obligation, or even be arrested, as he has no legal existence.

DEAL IS PENDING FOR LARGE TRANSFER

KITTANNING, PA., April 2.—(Special.)—Negotiations have been closed whereby the American Gas Company of Pittsburgh has taken over the holdings of the Manufacturers Gas Company in this county. The property consists of 3,500 acres of gas territory, 12 producing wells and several miles of pipe lines. The consideration is $55,000. The American Gas Company expects to purchase the leases, wells and franchises of the Kittanning Consolidated Natural Gas Company. The consideration will be near the $1,000,000 mark.

License Applications Being Heard.

UNIONTOWN, PA., April 2.—(Special.)—License applications were heard today before Judges E. H. Reppert and R. E. Umbel. Remonstrances have been filed against six of the applicants for retail licenses, but none against the 12 applicants for distillers' or the eight for brewers' licenses.

Ohio Assembly Adjourns.

COLUMBUS, O., April 2.—The first session of the seventy-seventh general assembly adjourned this afternoon to meet again in January, 1908. The senate this afternoon killed the Brouson primary election bill by refusing to agree to the amendments proposed by the house.

NOTES OF NEARBY TOWNS.

ALTOONA.—Harry E. Deshong, a Republican, was elected president of select council; E. E. Seaholtz, Republican, was chosen president of common council. Walter J. Hamor was re-elected city clerk and Harry J. Davis succeeds himself as clerk of select.

MARIETTA.—The Republican congressional convention for the Fifteenth district will be held here Tuesday morning. The Hon. Beman G. Dawes is up for renomination. The Republicans of the Seventh judicial district of Ohio, composed of Athens, Monroe, Perry and Washington counties, held their convention. Judge Joseph M. Wood of Athens, was renominated.

ALTOONA.—The 8,000 Pennsylvania railroad employes who were put on 25 hours a week work here, have requested that they be allowed to commence work Monday and quit Wednesday noon, instead of working five hours the first five days of the week. They contend that this change will give many of them several days a week to work on odd jobs about the city.

BEAVER.—In preparation for a fight against the proposed repeal of the blue laws by the next state legislature, the Hon. I. F. Mansfield, president of the Beaver County Sabbath association, issued a call for a mass meeting to be held in the Presbyterian church, on Friday afternoon. Addresses will be delivered and plans discussed for defeating any repeal of the act of 1794.

WAIVES A HEARING.

Nichols Decides to Have His Connection With Enterprise Bank Failure Aired Before Grand Jury.

Forest R. Nichols, charged with aiding and abetting in the misapplication of funds of the Enterprise National bank, waived a hearing yesterday before United States Commissioner Lindsay and renewed his bond for 5,000 for his appearance at the May term of court.

The hearing in the case of George R. Ralston, a clerk of the bank, on the same charge, will take place today at 11 a. m. United States Attorney John W. Dunkle said he thought Ralston would not waive examination, but would go through a hearing.

Special Bank Examiner E. P. Moxey was somewhat better yesterday, and Mr. Dunkle said he thought Mr. Moxey would be able to attend the Ralston hearing. Mr. Moxey has been sick in his room at the Hotel Lincoln.

Pittsburgh Man Dies in Cincinnati.

A dispatch from Cincinnati yesterday stated that a man who registered at the Hotel Sterling as Moses Jones, from Pittsburgh, was found dead in bed, and as suicide was suspected, the coroner was making an investigation. There is only one Moses Jones given in the Pittsburgh directory, living at 402 West Jefferson street, Allegheny, and inquiry at his home last evening developed the fact that he was in the city.

To Rebuild Arsenal Wall.

Congressman Burke has promised the Lawrenceville board of trade to persuade the government to rebuild the wall of the Allegheny arsenal. The board held a meeting last night and recommended a bridge over the Pennsylvania railroad in Thirty-seventh street. Favorable progress was reported on the movement to get a new bridge in Melwood avenue. It was decided to have an outing at Luna park on June 19.

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COUNCIL DRAWS COLOR LINE.

Franklin Solons Disapprove of Appointments of Mayor Who Says He Will Remain Firm.

FRANKLIN, PA., April 2.—(Special.)—Mayor William J. McConnell and five new city councilmen were sworn into office today. Council balked at three of the mayor's appointments to the police force, and Mayor McConnell announced his appointees would serve, anyway, he appointing them from month to month in case council continues in its refusal to confirm them. Council says it will not provide for their salaries. One of the appointees is a negro, and council draws the color line on policemen.

Big Verdict Is Awarded.

KITTANNING, PA., April 2.—(Special.)—After a trial lasting over 10 days the Ford China Company has been awarded a verdict against the Ford Natural Gas Company for $13,997.50. The Ford China Company brought suit to recover $50,000 advanced to institute the Ford Natural Gas Company. The latter made a claim for fuel furnished the china company. The verdict was the difference between the claims.

Murder Trial Drags.

FAIRMONT, W. VA., April 2.—(Special.)—In the trial today of Mrs. Payton-Wright for the alleged murder of her first husband, the defense spent the day examining physicians in an attempt to show that Payton's death was caused by poisons other than strychnine. A score of additional witnesses have been summoned, and it was said the trial will last another week.

Tragedy Follows Estrangement.

BELLEFONTAINE, O., April 2.—(Special.)—Hugh Glenn, 25 years old, killed himself today after he thought he had murdered his wife. They had been estranged three weeks and Glenn heard that his wife had been with another man Sunday night. Meeting her in the street he fired two bullets at her. He then ran two blocks and shot himself, dying soon after. His wife was unhurt.

Child Dies Under Log Pile.

CORRY, PA., April 2.—(Special.)—While Zoe, the five-year-old daughter of A. Seaman, was playing near a pile of logs in the back yard of her home this afternoon she was crushed to death beneath them. The father is so critically ill that he is not expected to live, and the mother is frantic with grief.

Boy Prevents Disaster.

GREENVILLE, PA., April 2.—(Special.)—A heavy property loss and probable loss of life was averted by the timely action of Clyde Kirk, a young boy, near Hadley last night. High water washed away 100 feet of the Lake Shore roadbed near the boy's home. Kirk discovered the danger and hearing a train approaching tore off his coat and flagged two engines running light, just in time to avert disaster.

New Officials Are Named.

SCRANTON, PA., April 2.—J. Benjamin Dimmick, the reform Republican mayor, today made the following appointments: Director of public works, C. R. Acker; director of public safety, F. L. Wormser; city solicitor, D. J. Davis (reappointed); superintendent of fire department, H. F. Forbes; superintendent of police, Leona B. Day (reappointed).

Choose Site for Wayne Statue.

HARRISBURG, April 2.—(Special.)—The proposed equestrian statue of Gen. Anthony Wayne at Valley Forge, for which the last legislature appropriated $30,000, will be located on a crest looking toward Philadelphia. This was decided at a meeting of the commission here today. Another meeting will be held tomorrow to select the design.

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NEW BRIGHTON MATRONS SCORE FIRST VICTORY

Declare Flat Rate of $1 Per Day and Washwomen's Union Gets Severe Jolt.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW BRIGHTON, PA., April 2.—The test of strength between the Washerwomen's union and the "operators" came today, and the latter put up such a formidable front that there is little probability of the infant organization marching in the next Labor day parade. Mrs. Kate Matthews, the promoter of the union, is said to have been busy during the last several days injecting stiffening into the weaker backbones, giving the members "iron heel of capital" talks. It was believed that when washday should arrive the enemy would grant the $1 50 a day demanded as a substitute for the $1 rate which has prevailed here.

But the employers had been doing a few things themselves. When the members of the union appeared at various homes today to preside over the washday festivities they were met by this ultimatum: "The old rate or quit." A few quit. Most of them observed the biblical injunction and made terms quickly.

"They wouldn't stick together," sighed Mrs. Matthews when seen tonight. The danger of an industrial war in New Brighton is believed to be over.

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announce their Spring Opening in Millinery and Ladies' Suits Today, Tomorrow and Thursday, April 3d, 4th & 5th, 1906.

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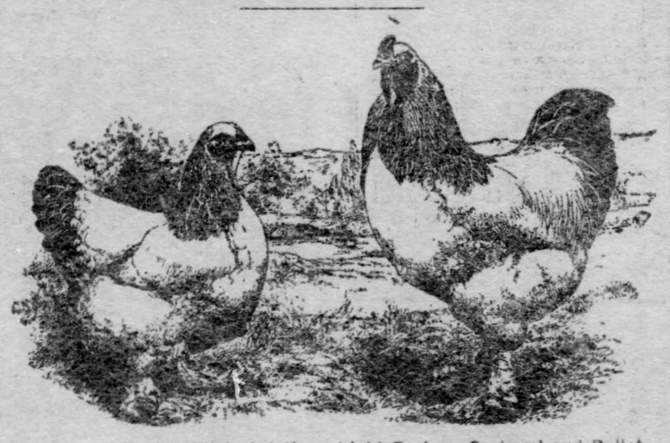

A Pair of Thalia Villa's Asiatics. Light Brahma Cockeral and Pullet.

YOU WISH A CHICKEN. YOU GO TO YOUR MARKETMAN OR BUTCHER AND GET IT. YOU HAVE NO GUARANTEE AS TO ITS PURITY. BREEDERS OF POULTRY AND SQUABS WITHIN THE IMMEDIATE VICINITY, PITTSBURGH'S SOURCE OF SUPPLY, ONLY CONTRIBUTE ABOUT 50 PER CENT OF THE DRESSED POULTRY CONSUMED HERE. THE BALANCE COMES FROM THE EASTERN AND WESTERN STORAGE WAREHOUSES. PROBABLY HAS BEEN THERE 6 OR 10 MONTHS. THIS CHICKEN MEAT IS ALL RIGHT UNTIL THE FROST HAS BEEN ELIMINATED. THEN YOU HAVE THAT WHICH IS UNFIT TO EAT IN A FEW HOURS. IF YOU DOUBT WHAT WE SAY, VERIFY THIS STATEMENT QUIETLY. YOU WILL FIND IT CORRECT.

95 PER CENT OF THE SQUABS SOLD HERE COME FROM THE SAME SOURCE. PITTSBURGH TODAY SECURES THE SMALLEST, SCRUBBIEST AND POOREST GRADE OF SQUAB MEAT OF ANY LARGE CITY IN THE UNITED STATES. THE REASON, YOU ASK? THERE IS ABSOLUTELY NO SOURCE OF SUPPLY WITHIN REASONABLE DISTANCE. ONE OR TWO VERY SMALL PLANTS EXIST NEAR AT HAND, THEIR PRODUCT FOR A YEAR IS NOT ENOUGH TO SUPPLY ONE OF OUR LARGE HOTELS A WEEK.

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Notice is hereby given to all parties in interest that the undersigned viewers, duly appointed by the court in the foregoing matter, have prepared a schedule, showing the damages, costs and expenses ascertained and allowed, and the benefits assessed, for the foregoing improvement, and that said viewers will meet and exhibit the same at their office, Municipal hall, Allegheny, on the sixteenth day of April, A. D. 1906, at 10 o'clock a. m., and will then and thereupon hear all exceptions thereto and evidence thereon.

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IN PERIL OF HIS LIFE

BY EMILE GABORIAU

Author of "THE MYSTERY OF ORCIVAL," "FILE NO. 113," Etc.

(Continued from Yesterday.)

In the midst of all her suffering, Denise's heart filled with unspeakable happiness as she heard these words. Ah! now she could doubt Jacques no longer!

"He has condemned himself, you see," continued the countess. "I was quite willing to ruin myself for him, but certainly not for another woman."

"By that other woman—no doubt, you mean me?"

"Yes!—you, for whose sake he abandoned me—you whom he was going to marry—you with whom he hoped to enjoy long years of happiness—not furtive and sinful like ours, but a legitimate, honorable happiness."

Tears stood in Denise's eyes. She was beloved, she knew it, and thought of her rival's sufferings. "And yet I should have been more generous," she murmured; and not noticing the savage smile in which the countess indulged, she added, "The proof of it is that I came to propose a bargain to you."

"A bargain?"

"Yes. Save Jacques' life, and, by all that is sacred to me in the world, I promise I will enter a convent; I will disappear, and you shall never hear my name any more."

The countess' astonishment was evidently intense, and she looked at Denise with a glance full of doubt and mistrust. Such devotion seemed to her too sublime not to conceal some snare. "You would really do that?" she asked.

"Unhesitatingly."

"You would make so great a sacrifice for my benefit?"

"For yours? No, madam, for Jacques'."

"You love him dearly, do you?"

"I love him dearly enough to prefer his happiness to my own a thousand times over. Even if I were, so to say, buried in some convent, I should still have the consolation of knowing that he owed his restoration to me; and the thought that he belonged to another would be less terrible to bear than the idea that he is innocent, and yet condemned."

But, in proportion as Denise thus confirmed her sincerity, the countess' glance grew darker and sterner, and passing blushes mantled her cheek. At last she exclaimed, with haughty irony, "Admirable!"

"Madam!"

"You condescend to give up all claim to M. de Boiscoran. Will that make him love me? You know very well he will not. You know that he loves you alone. Heroism with such conditions is easy enough! What have you to fear? Buried in a convent, he will love you only all the more ardently, and he will execrate me all the more fervently."

"He shall never know anything of our bargain!"

"Ah! What does that matter? He will guess it, if you do not tell him. No; I know what awaits me. For two years I have felt positive agony at seeing him grow daily more estranged from me. What have I not done to keep him near me! How have I stooped to meanness, to falsehood, to keep him a single day longer, perhaps a single hour! But all was useless. I was a burden to him. He loved me no longer; and my love became to him a heavier load than the cannon-ball which they will fasten to his convict's chain."

Denise shuddered. "That is horrible!" she murmured.

"Horrible! yes, but true. You look amazed. That is because you have as yet only seen the dawn of love; wait for the dark evening, and you will understand me. Is not every woman's story the same? I have seen Jacques at my feet as you see him at yours; the vows he swears to you, he once swore to me; and he swore them to me with the same voice, tremulous with passion, and with the same burning glances. But you are his betrothed, and I never was. Still what does that matter? What does he tell you? That he will love you forever, because his love is under the protection of God and men. He told me, precisely because our love was not thus protected, that we should be united by indissoluble bonds—bonds stronger than all others. You have his promise; so had I. And the proof of it is that I gave him everything—my honor and the honor of my family, and that I would have given him still more, if there had been any more to give. And now to be betrayed, forsaken, despised, to sink lower and lower, until at last I must become the object of your pity! To have fallen so low, that you should dare come to me and offer to give up Jacques for my benefit! Ah, that is maddening! And I should let the vengeance I hold in my hands slip from me at your bidding! I should be stupid enough, blind enough, to allow myself to be touched by your hypocratical tears! I should secure your happiness by the sacrifice of my reputation! No, no, cherish no such hope!"

Her voice expired in her throat in a kind of toneless rattle. She took a few hasty steps up and down the anteroom. Then placing herself in front of Denise, and looking fixedly into her eyes, she asked: "Who suggested to you this plan of coming here, this supreme insult which you have tried to inflict upon me?"

Denise was seized with unspeakable horror, and hardly found heart to reply.

"No one," she murmured.

"M. Folgat?"

"I have not seen him. The thought occurred to me quite suddenly, like an inspiration from heaven. When Dr. Seignebos told me that you had refused to admit the priest from Brechy, I said to myself, 'This is the last misfortune and the greatest of all! If the Count de Claudieuse dies without retracting, Jacques' innocence can never be fully established, whatever may happen hereafter, whatever proof of it we may find. Then I made up my mind to come to you. Ah! it was a hard task. But I was in hopes I might touch your heart, or that you might be moved by the greatness of my sacrifice."

And the countess was moved. As she listened to Denise's passionate entreaties, her resolution seemed to waver.

"Would it be such a very great sacrifice?" she asked.

Tears sprang to Denise's eyes. "Alas!" she said, "I offer you my life. I know very well you will not long be jealous of me."

She was interrupted by groans, coming from the room in which the count was lying. The countess set the door ajar, and immediately a feeble, and yet imperious voice was heard exclaiming, "Genevieve, Genevieve!"

"I am coming in a moment," replied the countess. Then closing the door again she turned to Mademoiselle de Chandore, and added, in a hard, stern voice, "What security can you give me, that if Jacques' innocence were established, and he restored to society, you would not forget your promise?"

"Ah, madam! upon what shall I swear that I am ready to disappear? Choose your own securities. I will do whatever you require." Then, sinking down on her knees before the countess, she continued, "Here I am at your feet, madam, humble and suppliant—I whom you accuse of a desire to insult you. Have pity on Jacques! Ah! if you loved him as much as I do, you would not hesitate."

The countess raised her quickly, and, holding her hands in her own, looked at her for a moment without saying a word, but with heaving bosom and trembling lips. At last, in a voice which was so deeply affected that it was hardly intelligible, she asked, "What do you want me to do?"

"To induce the Count de Claudieuse to retract."

The countess shook her head. "It would be useless to try. You do not know the count. He is a man of iron. You might tear his flesh with hot iron pincers, and he would not take back even one of his words. You cannot conceive what he has suffered, nor the depth of his hatred, rage and thirst for vengeance, which have accumulated in his heart. It was to torture me that he brought me here to his bedside. Only five minutes ago he told me that he died content since Jacques was declared guilty, and condemned through his evidence." Madame de Claudieuse was conquered; her energy was exhausted; tears came to her eyes. "He has been so cruelly tried!" she added. "He loved me to distraction, he loved nothing in the world but me. And I—Ah, if we could know, if we could foresee! No, I shall never be able to induce him to retract."

Denise almost forgot her own great grief, in presence of the countess' agony. "Nor do I expect you to obtain that result," she said very gently.

"Who then could obtain it?"

(To be Continued Tomorrow.)

BURKE DEFENDS REAL ESTATE MEN

No Attempt Made by Pittsburghers to Put Up Prices on the Postoffice Sites.

ARE ACTING UNSELFISHLY

SPECIAL TELEGRAM FROM L. W. STRAYER, Staff Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, April 2.—At a conference with Representative Bartholdt, chairman of the house committee on public buildings and grounds today, Representative Burke succeeded in convincing the chairman that there had been no advance in the prices of available sites for the new Pittsburgh postoffice over the figures given the committee when it visited Pittsburgh.

From the figures submitted to the committee by Mr. Burke last week it appeared that the owners of these sites had advanced the prices when it looked as though the government would build a new building. But it was explained that the difference in the figures was due to the fact that one estimate included the alleys through the blocks under consideration, and the other did not; also that the first estimates were general and made offhand. It was demonstrated that the price a foot was not greater now than originally.

"The business men of Pittsburgh have acted very unselfishly in this matter," said Mr. Burke today. "There has been no attempt to hold up the government and place exorbitant prices on available sites. Such a proposition would be out of the question, even if it was attempted, for the site for the new building will be obtained by means of condemnation proceedings, and the price will be fixed by the usual method prescribed by law. Mr. D. T. Black and Mr. Samuel W. Black, two of the best-informed real estate men in the city, made the estimates that were furnished the committee when it visited Pittsburgh, and they did this, as well as had maps prepared, gratuitously."

Some one has been trying to convince Mr. Bartholdt that the block adjoining the present federal building and bounded by Third and Fourth avenues, Grant street and Cherry alley, can be purchased for $500,000, but the real estate experts of Pittsburgh say that such a proposition is preposterous.

Representatives Burke and Dalzell will have a conference with Chairman Bartholdt tomorrow when this matter will be discussed. As the public building bill now stands it contains an item for $1,000,000 for a site for Pittsburgh, and it is not likely that this sum will be reduced.

WASHINGTON NEWS NOTES.

The senate confirmed the nomination of F. H. Bartleson to be postmaster at Sharpsville, Pa.

President Roosevelt has appointed Rudolph Forster to be first assistant secretary to the President in place of E. P. Barnes, appointed postmaster for Washington, D. C.

The Mallory bill to further enlarge the powers and authority of the public health and marine hospital service, known as the national quarantine bill, was passed by the senate.

The United States supreme court decided the Michigan railroad tax cases, involving the taxes of all the railroads in that state for several years past, against the railroads.

The President appointed Albert Halstead American consul at Birmingham, Eng., to succeed his brother, Marshal Halstead, resigned. Mr. Halstead is a Washington newspaper correspondent and is the son of Murat Halstead.

The house passed a bill consolidating the steamboat inspection districts at Gallipolis, O., and Wheeling, W. Va., into one district at Point Pleasant, W. Va.

The eighteenth annual convention of the National Association of Railway Commissioners was called to order by President W. G. Smith of South Dakota for a several days' session, during which many topics bearing on the operation, construction and maintenance of railways, together with the question of rates and rate-making and uniform classification, will be discussed. About 100 delegates are in attendance.

The President appointed the following postmasters: Pennsylvania—M. F. Schantz, Allentown; G. R. Adam, Brockwayville; F. J. Andrus, Croes Fork. Ohio—G. H. Hildebrand, Ashland.

KNOX'S VICTORY ON RATE BILL

Conservative Element Pleased at President's Change, but Not With Amendment.

PHRASEOLOGY DOESN'T SUIT

SPECIAL TELEGRAM FROM L. W. STRAYER, Staff Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, April 2.—Senator Long in the senate today offered the court review amendment to the Hepburn railroad rate bill, which was agreed on at the White House conference Saturday afternoon. Senator Long did not get to make his speech on the subject, Senator Fulton occupied all the time. Long will speak tomorrow.

The conservative element in the senate, the men who have from the first contended for a court review amendment, are well pleased with the result of the conference at the White House on Saturday, when this amendment to the bill was agreed on, but are not pleased with the amendment; that they do not accept. They are, however, pleased with the idea that Senators Dolliver and Clapp, and even the President, heretofore opposed to a court revision amendment, have now taken the stand that such an amendment is best.

This itself is a very gratifying victory for Senator Knox, who has advocated from the beginning that to assure the constitutionality of the law, provision must be made for reviewing the interstate commerce commission's findings in the courts. It now only remains to agree upon the phraseology of the provision. It is predicted that the amendment proposed by the friends of the Hepburn bill will not receive very enthusiastic support. One senator today said: "The amendment is all right, with one exception, and that is that it is unconstitutional."

That seems to be the most serious objection. During the debate in the senate today Senators Spooner and Aldrich put questions at Senator Fulton indicating their belief that such a provision would not stand. Senator Knox does not believe it is constitutional. Other great lawyers of the senate do not favor it for the same reason. Consequently it remains for an agreement to be reached in the phraseology of a clause that will be acceptable to the great minds of the senate.

Leaders of the administration forces in the senate were jubilant today when Senator Elkins of West Virginia capitulated, and declared his intention of voting for the Hepburn bill, with the White House court review amendment.

"Regardless of what has been said," said Elkins today, "I want to say that it has been my intention all along to vote for the Hepburn bill if I could get a limited review amendment attached to it. The action of the President in agreeing to a limited review amendment exactly suits me, and I shall now support the bill with all my ability."

Advocates of the Hepburn bill made public today the following list of 28 Republican senators who, they say, will vote for the Hepburn bill as amended by its friends: Aliee, Allison, Perkins, Heyburn, Cullom, Hopkins, Beveridge, Hemenway, Elkins, Scott Dolliver Long, Burrows, Nelson, Clapp, Warner, Carter, Millard, Burkett, Hansbrough, Dick, Fulton, Gamble, Kittredge, Proctor, Dillingham, Ankeny, Piles.

Heyburn, Burrows, Hopkins, Hansbrough, Dick, Proctor and Dillingham, are classed as slightly doubtful.

NEW HIGH RECORD IS MADE BY DUQUESNE FURNACES

Four Stacks Produce 78,120 Tons of Pig Iron During March, Eclipsing All Previous Results.

A new world's record in pig iron production was established during the month of March by the four Duquesne furnaces of the United States Steel Corporation. A total of 78,120 tons of metal were turned out, beating the best previous record of the stacks, made in October, 1904, by 3,514 tons.

The new record is 978 tons ahead of the mark made by furnaces D E K and J of the Edgar Thomson plant at Braddock, which, in March last year, produced 77,142 tons. The total made by the Duquesne stacks gives the four an average daily production for the month of 2,520 tons, and each stack a daily average of 630 tons. The largest production of any stack for a single day was 832 tons, and for the four stacks, 2,882 tons. There has always been strong rivalry between the Duquesne and Edgar Thomson works, and naturally officials of the former feel elated over the recovery of the laurels which were wrested from them a year ago. The new record is so far in advance of anything that had been accomplished before, that it is thought it will stand for several years to come. The Duquesne stacks were the first of the large type of blast furnaces, and are built for 500 tons daily capacity each. A. N. Diehl is superintendent of the furnaces.

The employes of the rod mill of the Braddock plant of the American Steel and Wire Company broke the record for the 24 hours ending yesterday, turning out 45,370 pounds of rods. This is the first record run under the new superintendent, F. C. Nullmeyer. The record was broken both for 12 and 24 hours. The old record, made February 11, 1904, under Superintendent James H. Justin, now at Allentown, Pa., was 445,150 pounds.

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The trim elegance of the Single and Double breasted Suits that are slightly form-fitting, as well as the distinctive air of the new overcoats will win your confidence. One of the $15 features is the new Louis XV. French Form-fitting Overcoats with flaring skirts and long vent in back which is the season's leader.

Flawless Garments In Imported Woolens

If you can pay $20 or more for your Easter Suit or Overcoat we will fit you out with clothing made from imported woolens direct from the best European mills—made by houses that employ the finest and most expensive talent in designing and cutting—whose representatives make an expert study of styles in every world's center of men's fashions—who pay highest wages to most skilled and careful journeymen tailors and critically inspect every garment before it leaves their shops.

Easter Novelties in Children's Headwear

This Spring's Tams, Turbans and Napoleons are quite a departure from last season's—and the changes are all for the better. Either with or without handsome silk embroidered emblems. Every color of the rainbow to choose from. What's your price? Consult the following schedule and note how much we save you:

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Extra Special for Today—50 dozen of an exceptionally neat 11-inch top Tam O'Shanter, plain or fancy embroidered; also silk-top Turbans, with Hussar brushes—$1.50 and $2 values at.....89c

Boys' Hats—Smartest new Telescopes; medium brims; plain or fancy bands; niched or creased, 98c, 1.50, 1.90

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What the Theaters Offer

Belasco—"Sweet Kitty Bellairs."

David Belasco turned Egerton Castle's novel, "The Bath Comedy," into a play, and thereby improved a story that was somewhat finnicky in the mere reading. Last year Henrietta Crosman used the piece successfully under Mr. Belasco's management, though the play did not reach Pittsburgh. It is at the Belasco this week with Bertha Galland in the name part, and constitutes an exceedingly clever and at times brilliant entertainment. Mr. Belasco took many liberties with the book. From being a merely heartless coquette, who "loves and lives to love another day," Mistress Kitty, the Irish widow who visited Bath as the idol of the Inniskillengs, a sort of daughter of the regiment, Mr. Belasco has evolved a tender young woman whose escapade has a real romance and whose love history has a real touch of dramatic earnestness. It is young Lord Verney, whose rooms she visited, that the saucy minx finally settles her heart upon, after some stirring stage incidents that are grouped quite skillfully and developed with more than a suggestion of Mr. Belasco's familiar art. Of thin texture and constant improbability, the scenes are yet made interesting, and one follows the fortunes of the wilful Kitty with real heart sympathy, at least the audience at the Belasco did last night, calling the star to the footlights again and again.

I confess the chief charm of the performance lay rather in that self same star than in the play, with its Georgian wigs and wit. Miss Galland makes a spirited and delightful Irish beauty. Her own personal equipment in the beauty line is an aid in this direction, which very graceful and earnest acting methods complete. I am not familiar enough with the brogue of the aristocratic Dublinites of George's time to question the accuracy of Miss Galland's speech. There were times when it seemed a trifle modern and "New Yorky," but in so perfect a characterization, as a whole, who will quarrel with sweet speech? Miss Galland shows remarkable improvement. She is surer of herself, more earnest and mature in her methods, and proves the promise of her earlier career not to have been exaggerated. Her Kitty is far more winsome and strikes a more serious psychological note than Egerton Castle ever conceived. In her support Miss Alma Kruger stands easily first. Her Lady Barbara is immensely clever, a difficult and wholly ungracious role, played with tact and great naturalness. Miss Kruger shows marked intelligence and her elocution is delightfully distinct and understandable. The Lord Verney of Charles Hammond was a manly and capable impersonation, while Mr. Lane's Villiers, Mr. Barry's McFlontain, Mr. Bostwick's Sir Jasper Standish and the O'Hara of Mr. Carlisle Moore were all sensibly-played roles, adding strength to a production that pleased. To these names may be added those of Miss Panchon Campbell, who was excellent as the weepy Lady Standish, and Fanny Burt as Lady Maria.

Mr. Belasco has given the play a pretty setting. The rainstorm was a real one and effective. The prologue of the piece was charmingly recited by Miss Grace Coghlan.

CHARLES M. BREGG.

Alvin—"Arizona."

After all, the play is the thing. This was never more clearly demonstrated than last night when "Arizona" again appeared in the city at the Alvin, and again played to a packed house, which was charmed and delighted with this drama of western life, even though presented by a company which was only mediocre. The plot and scenario of the play is well known to nearly every theatergoer. Critics and others have stated on various occasions that "Arizona" is the typical American drama, and to find a flaw in its construction would be difficult. It is the story of an Arizona ranch; it breathes of cactus brush, alkali dust, gold ore and spurs, while its characters are living, breathing, typical beings of contemporary western life of a few years ago.

The cast at the Alvin this week Rapley Holmes as Col. Canby carries off the honors. Of course, the playwright was particularly magnanimous in his case, but he took advantage of the opportunities afforded him and has made the character rugged, big-hearted and breezy like the plains of his Arizona ranch. Mr. Farrell as Lieut. Denton looked like Denton, but as the greatest of acting is the least endeavor, he apparently labored under the strain and at times seemed forced and in all could not be compared to his predecessors in the part. Miss Ray was delightful in the girlish impersonations of the part of Bonita, but when her little lire was overclouded with trouble she did not rise to the occasion, and did not turn from girl to woman with the grace that characterized Eleanor Robson or Olive May, both of whom made decided hits in the character. Miss McCall as Mrs. Canby did not look nor act the part as Augustus Thomas conceived it, neither did Mr. Thomas conceive that Mr. Drury should forget his Mexican lingo at times and thereby spoil his otherwise good conception of the part of Tony Mastona. It was, however, refreshing to see the good work of Sergt. Keller, who compared favorably with anyone who ever played the part. The others in the cast were acceptable. The production is well worth seeing, for like wine, it mellows with age.

"The Prince of India" Tonight.

Tonight marks an important event at the Nixon theater, as it is the beginning of a two weeks' engagement of "The Prince of India." Owing to the magnitude of this production it was impossible to have it properly installed for the opening Monday night. This colossal production of Gen. Lew Wallace's widely read book, dramatized by J. I. C. Clarke, has just concluded an eight weeks' run at the Colonial theater in Chicago. "The Prince of India" is a companion play to "Ben-Hur," written by the same author, and is said to excel its predecessor from almost every point of view. While adhering to the reverent atmosphere which dominated "Ben-Hur," it is a more interesting story, largely because of the greater dramatic possibilities. The cast of "The Prince of India" embraces such prominent names as J. E. Dodson, William Farnum, William Beach, Gerald Lawrence, Sydney Herbert, Sarah Truax and Julie Herne.

Grand—Many New Vaudeville Acts.

The bill at Manager Davis' popular continuous house this week is distinguished in two particulars, at any rate. There are more acts distinctly new to Pittsburgh in the bill than on any recent former occasion, and the dramatic specialty excels both in dramatic interest and in fame of the star any offering of this kind seen at this house for a long time. Rose Coghlan is an actress of trained skill. She has held undisputed a high place in emotional work on the legitimate stage of America for many seasons. Her little one-act play at the Grand this week is a memory of her former triumphs and is acted with approximately the same force and expression that have always given her work distinction. The sketch is called "The Ace of Trumps," and is a condensed version of "Forget-Me-Not," a play in which Miss Coghlan won fame in the old Wallick days. The actress is assisted by Lynn Pratt, and between them they give one of the most convincing and interesting dramatic incidents of recent vaudeville. The Five Columbians do a remarkably tasteful and pretty act of singing and dancing. The group comprises a father and mother and three children, the youngest of which is a tiny tot, only six years old, whose ballet and character dancing made a great hit. The act is staged and costumed beautifully and in this particular is ahead of the usual vaudeville trimmings. The Pekin Zouaves, a company of Indiana boys who have worked out an exciting and skillful drill, including some fine examples of wall-sculing, is another good act. The Mosher Houghton trio is one of the new acts to Pittsburgh that made good in some of the most difficult bicycle tricks of recent date. The comedian of the trio is especially fine. The Musical Avolos are capital xylophonists. Sam Collins of Weber and Field made a German dialect monologue, mixed with Scotch, go finely, though he should sandpaper some of his jokes. Kingsley and Lewis, also new here, play a little sketch called "The Honeymoon," and play it well. Gould and Surratt, in an amusing burlesque of a dramatic company rehearsal, were very laughable. Fannie Faron, of the old team of Baker and Faron, is a clean, pretty, wholesome-looking girl who leads the small-act coterie, among which are Klein and Klein, eccentric pantomimists; Musical Hughes, Martin and Diamond, and Carter and Blueford, in a very prettily staged song and dance act.

Gayety—Bon-Ton Burlesquers.

The Bon Ton attraction is strong in the vaudeville department, and in the closing act, which is by far the funniest burlesque of the season, barring none. The first act is rather commonplace, but the real fun begins when the olio started with jolly Toma Hanion at the head of the list with songs rendered in her catchy style, which the program man appropriately calls "effervescent." Berg's Merry Girls, six in a row, are very much London in their act and dancing, playing on brass instruments and whirlwind acrobatics and contortion feats abound in their versatile turn. The Five Vernons are the added number, and their clever xylophone concert was encored repeatedly. Two good comedy sketch turns round out the bill—Keeler and Watson as "The Actor and the Little Hebrew Gentleman," and Whelan and Searles in "Just Nonsense." It is in the next and closing act that the fun reaches a climax, and the screams of laughter were illustrative of how jumbled nonsense can be made funny in capable hands. As laugh provokers Toma Hanion, Chris Whelan, Joseph K. Watson and Harry Keeler are as good as we find. The usual number of statuesque young ladies grace all the ensemble and musical numbers.

Academy—The Dreamland Burlesquers.

The Dreamland Burlesquers open up with "At the Circus," with lost of action and fun of the "rube" order, of course. Some of the patrons said the piece was built for "rubes," but then some of those Academyites are very particular. Judged by the haw-haws, the performance pleased as many as the usual run of burlesques do. No fault was found with the beauty department. The costumes glitter in the fast dances, and the songs they sing are good and new. The closing burlesque, with lots more of the same thing, is called "Through the Clouds." The vaudeville department was well received all through and includes Laciede and Raymond in "A Society Circus;" Marie Stuart Dodd, a clever violinist; Jolly, Zeb, Yarrow and Johnson in a comedy turn; the Six Empire Girls, from the Alhambra, London; Louis Pritzow, German comedian, and Palfrey and Barton, great acrobatic cyclists.

Empire—"Carmen."

"Carmen," teeming with suggestion and abounding in glimpses of the strange wierd life of a nomad tribe, was the spicy attraction at the up-town playhouse last night. Kathryn Purnell, who stars in the performance, is no stranger to local theater-goers. She understands her part, and her portrayal of a wild, unprincipled girl of the mountains, fiery and beautiful and full of abandon, has much of merit to recommend it. She is the clever, witty, enticing beauty, firmly believing in all the superstitions of her gypsy tribe, and around her hover men of all ranks from the commissioned officer to the low-born smuggler. The scenic effects in "Carmen" are above the average, and the play is acted by Miss Purnell's company with fair strength and intelligence.

"Me, Him and I."

"Me, Him and I," Hurtig and Seamon's successful spectacular musical comedy sensation, which will be next week's attraction at the Alvin, provides a clean, lively, laughable evening's entertainment.

Next Week's Vaudeville.

Holy week at the Grand will be noteworthy because of many high-class features in the bill of refined vaudeville. August von Biene, the distinguished German actor and musician, is to appear in his one-act play, "The Master Musician," in which his skill both as an actor and a performer on the violin 'cello will be exploited. Some of the other features are the Six Glinserettis, European acrobats extraordinary; Rice and Cady, the popular German comedians late of the Avenue Theater travesty company.

"Before and After."

The title of Leo Ditrichstein's latest laughing hit, "Before and After," which is to be the sparkling, effervescent and mirthful attraction at the Belasco theater next week, is suggested by the inspiring cause of all its ludicrous complications and side-splitting situations—a marvelous joy-producing powder named by its inventor "The Sunny Jim" powder.

"COFFEE JAGS."

The Doctor Named Them Correctly.

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"During the last 2 or 3 years I became subject to what the doctor called 'coffee jags' and felt like I have heard men say they feel who have drank too much rum. It nauseated me, and I felt as though there was nothing but coffee flowing through my veins.

"Coffee agreed well enough for a time, but for a number of years I have known that it was doing me great harm, but like the rum toper, I thought I could not get along without it. It made me nervous, disordered my digestion, destroyed my sleep and brought on frequent and very distressing headaches.

"When I got what the doctor called a 'coffee jag' on, I would give up drinking it for a few days till my stomach regained a little strength, but I was always fretful and worried and nervous till I was able to resume the use of the drug.

"About a year ago I was persuaded to try Postum, but as I got it in restaurants it was nothing but a sloppy mess, sometimes cold, and always weak, and, of course, I didn't like it. Finally I prepared some myself, at home, following the directions carefully, and found it delicious. I persevered in its use, quitting the old coffee entirely, and feeling better and better each day, till I found at last, to my great joy, that my ailments had all disappeared and my longing for coffee had come to an end.

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SHUTOUT FOR LITTLE ROCK

Pirates Hit the Ball Hard and Often and Play an Errorless Game.

WAGNER ACCEPTS 10 CHANCES

HOT SPRINGS, ARK., April 2.—(Special.)—Becker and Brady, the former a Southern league star, and the latter a Philadelphia experiment of last season, were sent on the rubber by Chief Zimmer this afternoon to defeat the Pirates, but their slants and benders were so easy of solution that there was not a Pittsburgh player not represented in the hit column. Captain Clarke sent up Oberlin, the spitball artist, and Homer Hillebrand. Both pitched superbly and with their clean support let the visitors get but two runners as far as third base and none across the plate. But four singles were made off Oberlin, but his spitball resulted in several walks to the initial sack, which didn't prove costly.

Anderson, the Wheeling boy, was first to face Hillebrand and he hit safely, but after that the visitors were mowed down as they popped up. In the first inning only Old Hickey Nash knew the ghost of a chance to get on the humiliation of a cipher score. Douglas after a nice single, stole second and advanced one peg while McCann was being retired, but Dearmond ended the agony by giving Joe Nealon an easy chance. Ganley made a sensational running catch of a hot liner off Dearmond's bat in the third.

Wagner accepted 10 chances, some of them very difficult, without a misplay. At bat the big fellow drove out a single, double and a triple, but he failed to connect at one time when the Pirates crowded the bags. Hillebrand added his position fast and clean.

An amusing feature was Ritchey's attempt to stretch a tripple into a home run in the sixth inning. He was about ready to quit between third and home even if Defeau's throw had not cut him off. He declared afterward that he caught up with a bug that was making a circuit of the bases.

Leach's reason for remaining here when the Pirates go barnstorming is the condition of his wife's health, which has improved very much during the sojourn here. He needs no more conditioning and is ready to step in and play his usual brilliant game, judging by his practice performances.

President Dreyfuss today declined an offer of $300 guarantee for an exhibition game in Corsicana, Texas, on account of having all open dates previously filled.

The excellent weather of the past few days has put the men in first-class condition. Trainer Ed La Forge said tonight that Monday is the first day since the opening of the practice season that he has not treated cases of sore arms, backs or legs. He says the men are in excellent good shape. Score:

Pittsburgh	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.	Little Rock	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Clymer, l..	1	2	1	0	0	Meany, l..	0	0	2	0	0
Ganley, r..	0	2	1	0	0	Douglas, 1.	0	2	10	1	0
D'mond, m.	1	1	2	0	0	McCann, r.	0	0	0	0	0
Wagner, s.	2	3	3	7	0	McKean, 2.	0	0	2	2	1
Nealon, l..	2	2	13	1	0	Dearm'd, 3.	0	1	1	2	0
Leach, 3...	3	3	2	2	0	Nefeau, m..	0	0	2	1	0
Ritchey, 2.	0	1	3	2	0	Johnson, s..	0	1	0	5	1
Carisch, c.	1	1	3	0	0	Anderson, c	0	1	8	0	0
Oberlin, p.	1	1	0	2	0	Becker, p..	0	0	0	0	1
Hillebr'd, p.	1	1	0	1	0	Brady, p...	0	0	1	0	0
Totals....	15	16	27	17	0	Totals....	0	5	24	13	4

Pittsburgh	0	3	0	0	2	3	3	0	0—12
Little Rock	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0

Two-base hits—Ganley, Wagner, Leach, Nealon, Hillebrand. Three-base hits—Ritchey, Wagner. Stolen bases—Ganley, Douglas. Sacrifice hit—Leach. Struck out—By Oberlin 2, by Becker 1, by Hillebrand 1. Bases on balls—Off Oberlin 1, off Brady 1. Wild pitch—Oberlin. Double plays—Ritchey, Wagner and Nealon; Johnson, McKean and Douglas. Hits—Off Oberlin, 4 in 6 innings; of Hillebrand, 1 in 3 innings; off Becker, 9 in 5 innings; off Brady, 7 in 4 innings. Left on bases—Pittsburgh, 10; Little Rock, 3. Time—1:45. Umpire—Wilson.

Trinity Basketball League Formed.

A basketball league has been formed in the Trinity gymnasium on Oliver avenue. The teams will be named after the Greek alphabet, and will be as follows: Sigma, Theta, Delta, Beta and Alpha. The first game will be played tonight and will be between the Beta and Delta fives. Games will be played every Tuesday evening. No admission will be charged.

BIG TARGET SHOOT BY CANNONSBURG CLUB

Hawkins, the Expert, Wins and, With Ed Hickey Leading the Local Shots.

The Canonsburg Gun club yesterday gave its spring opening invitation shoot for the season of 1906, at inanimate targets. It was a new fangle that the trade has introduced. In the last season or two sweep shoots have been out down. "Our shells" is the only talk. Capt. Hickey of the Millvale Gun club was high amateur with 84. He is practicing for Saturday's match. Hawkins was high professional with the grand score of 96. Look out, ye shooters of the twentieth century. Washington crossed the Delaware and you will do the same to the Herron Hill grounds without the ice. A strong wind from the west made the Canonsburg range dry and dusty. Scores:

Targets.	15	15	15	15	15	25	
Hawkins	15	15	15	14	14	23—	96
Hickey	13	13	12	11	13	22—	84
Henry	12	13	11	14	11	19—	80
Cokey	12	11	10	13	11	19—	76
Moye	13	11	11	10	12	18—	76
Baker	9	13	12	11	16	—74	
Myers	7	11	7	10	10	12—	57
Anthony	5	9	8	11	8	15—	56
Hass	8	7	7	7	9	14—	52
Lue	4	7	9	10	10	11—	51
Peterson	12	10	6	7	10	—45	
George	11	11	11	12	10	—55	
McKean	6	9	7	..	..	18—	40
Cundle	12	14	11	13	13	—63	
A. Brigg	7	15	9	9	11	—61	
Hawodds	10	9	12	9	..	—40	
J. Moyer	7	10	10	6	..	—33	
Jackson Prigg	10	11	8	7	..	—36	
J. M. Prigg	11	9	7	10	7	—43	
Mackey	9	12	10	..	..	—31	
Scotwell	7	9	7	..	..	—23	
Cummins	7	7	5	..	..	—19	
Scott	13	10	9	..	..	—32	
McClelland	2	5	7	..	..	—14	
McBride	3	6	9	..	..	—18	
McIntosh	1	2	10	..	..	—13	
Burnham	3	7	10	..	..	—20	
Heffinger	10	11	12	..	..	—33	
Clutter	2	6	5	..	..	—14	
Crumm	7	7	..	..	..	—14	
Harsha	7	9	..	..	..	—16	
King	9	8	..	..	..	—17	
Richards	5	5	..	..	..	—10	
Foley	4	7	..	..	..	—11	
McCarty	11	7	..	..	..	—18	
Kane	13	15	..	..	..	—28	
	11	7	..	..	..	—18	

The Herron Hill Gun club will hold a target shoot today on its grounds at Davis Island. There will be seven events, all at 15 targets. W. R. Crosby of O'Fallon, Ill.; Adolph Topperwein of San Antonio, Tex., and J. Mowell Hawkins of Baltimore, Md., will take part in the shoot.

TARGET SPORT FOR COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP

The McKeesport Gun club, with a desire to promote interest in trap shooting and to determine the champion trap shooter of Allegheny county, will offer a beautiful loving cup as a trophy to be contested for in an open shoot at 100 targets on the club grounds Saturday, May 5, beginning at 1 o'clock. The trophy will be known as the McKeesport Gun club challenge cup, and will be emblematic of the clay bird championship of Allegheny county. It will be placed on exhibition today in the show window of the Sportsmen Supply Company, Pittsburgh. A copy of the rules to govern the contest will be mailed to any trap shooter in the county who will send his name and address to Leroy W. Cannon, 1013 Evans avenue, McKeesport, Pa.

Company G. Defeats Boy's Club.

Company G defeated the Boys' club hockey team at Duquesne garden, 5 to 3. Company G has only lost one game out of eight this season. The lineup:

Company G—5.		Boys Club.—3.
D. Gass	G	Griffith
Evans (Van Eman)	P	Fox
K. Gass	C. P.	Shickler
Hoffman	F.	Mason
Silvas	C.	Miller
Dornberger	L. W.	Horigon
Roberts (Van Eman)	R. W.	Bright

Goals—Roberts, Mason, Dornberger 2, Bright 2, Van Eman. Time—20 minute halves. Referee—Arton.

TIE IN THE DIOCESAN LEAGUE

St. Anthony Takes Two Out of Three from St. Joseph With Scores of 900.

IMPORTANT MATCH TODAY

In the Diocesan league last night on the St. Anthony alleys the two leaders met and the result was that the St. Anthony lads won two out of three. This makes both teams a tie for first honors. The contest was witnessed by the largest crowd ever assembled on the St. Anthony alleys. The enthusiasm was intense and each team had to roll over the 900 mark in order to win. J. Thomas was the star with three 200 scores and the splendid average of 217. This is one of the best averages made in any league this season. Dave Houlahan also rolled up three fine scores. For the St. Josephs Meyers was the boss bowler with high score of 227 and best average. The other good bowlers were Hungerman, Eppings, L. Thomas and Gaus. The Rev. Father Meyers proved to be a competent and impartial referee in this important contest, and his presence lent tone to the game. Scores:

St. Anthony—				St. Joseph—			
J. Thomas ..	213	236	202	Dienstbier ..	164	....	....
L. Thomas..	181	177	166	Epping	....	179	193
F. Feldt	163	169	147	Gaus	180	181	191
L. Ebner	170	168	145	Herg	183	180	181
Houlahan ...	202	186	183	Nickel	153	181	....
				Hungerman..	....	....	205
				Meyers	166	171	227
Totals	930	926	842	Totals	844	842	921

The first match for the Allegheny county championship will be rolled tonight between the North Braddock and Federal teams on the Federal alleys. These matches, for a cup, are expected to be the best ever rolled. E. L. Wilson, captain of the ex-champion Brunswicks, will be the referee in all. He yesterday made the following statement: "All the championship games must positively be rolled without interference from the spectators. No obnoxious rooting or rowdyism will be allowed, and the players and spectators are asked to join in an effort to have the championship decided in a fair and sportsmanlike manner, and may the best team win."

Below are the results of the two-man (Dispatch) Typo league matches on the Wylie avenue alleys yesterday afternoon: Scores:

Flynn	108	90	92	W. Wiard ...	79	90	94
Winters	96	71	85	Sanders	94	84	92
Totals	204	161	177	Totals	173	174	186
Bell	71	79	79	B. Wiard ...	95	118	90
Zimmerman.	114	89	109	Duer	71	85	76
Totals	185	168	188	Totals	166	203	166
Rankin	97	83	82	Means	76	83	81
Schultz	99	95	80	Modispacher.	96	85	78
Totals	187	178	162	Totals	172	168	159

In the Fifth Avenue Two-man league last night a surprise was sprung when Maratta and Robertson won two out of three games from Davies and McMunn. The other contests were also interesting. Scores:

Davies	143	141	114	Maratta.	161	176	168
McMunn	154	151	218	Robertson ..	185	184	125
Totals	297	292	266	Totals	246	240	293
Davies	145	213	200	Belmont	189	192	157
McMunn	209	181	183	Burns	172	147	170
Totals	354	394	383	Totals	367	339	327

All 14 teams of the Jobbers and Plumbers league met in their regular schedule meet at the clubs' alleys last night. Scores above the average for that league were the result among the many participants. Burke was the high roller with 218, and the other double century bowlers were Krey and Huckenbecker. Glenn was the star with the good average of 176 2-3. Scores:

Big Five—				Anchor—			
Sands	157	153	143	J. Bailey....	133	151	117
W. Bailey...	142	154	155	Bettell	141	159	161
Vincent	191	149	194	Burke	139	216	148
Kuckenb'k'r.	200	180	133	Lantz	146	150	158
Kaska	159	111	168	Glenn	152	163	185
Totals	848	747	793	Totals	711	839	769
Bailey-Farrel—				Harris Pump—			
Bryar	169	131	163	Cole	137	138	143
Norton	129	164	155	Goeddel	123	171	127
Moffett	134	125	129	Faust	136	158	137
Lauer	124	140	146	Kincaide	118	117	104
Kelley	133	162	157	Rome	164	154	110
Totals	690	739	710	Totals	678	738	621
East End—				Dutchtown—			
Hesser	125	188	145	Cass	135	124	192
Henderson ..	147	126	159	Seanlon	137	98	87
Wilhare	125	99	114	Bloedel	117	121	103
Sheetz	135	147	128	Kibach	131	121	150
Snively	150	156	140	Deer	114	125	143
Totals	682	720	676	Totals	634	589	676
Manchester—				Downtown—			
Ross	168	117	157	Fritch	125	151	124
Tate	151	96	154	McShane	149	177	124
Durbin	126	131	106	Wallace	138	123	158
Fisher	188	120	115	Smith	137	153	126
Urquhart ...	128	147	135	Fitch	189	140	145
Totals	721	611	633	Totals	736	749	687
Pittsburgh Supply—				Standard—			
Price	188	118	148	Ryan	147	134	109
Sullivan	126	148	171	Getty	144	124	152
Daub	155	157	185	Krey	123	207	155
White	195	188	150	Hughes	124	111	184
Lamb	119	154	128	Burgess	162	119	167
Totals	709	716	772	Totals	697	695	756
Fort Pitt Sup. Co.—				Duquesne—			
Jost	113	97	126	Skeehan	105	104	125
Sherman	140	165	118	White	108	134	101
Gilmore	125	163	158	Hennesy	135	87	146
Kuhn	162	122	146	Lauer	93	162	133
Wolff	101	123	131	Corns	80	152	109
Totals	641	670	679	Totals	556	619	646
Imperials—				Little Five—			
Godfrey	124	118	120	Beatty	148	136	153
Steepleton ..	119	133	120	Lohr	140	132	131
Dempsey	148	146	129	Gordon	119	102	99
Bachman	110	164	120	Deely	131	122	152
Toma	107	117	95	Baker	126	134	126
Totals	606	678	543	Totals	664	626	661

Last night in the South Pittsburgh league, on the St. Vincent alleys, the St. Vincents won two out of three games from the Senators. Fairly good scores were the result all around. The high individual rollers were C. Hahn, A. Hahn, Dapper, Edelman and Seibel. Scores:

Senators—				St. Vincent—			
Miller	162	148	157	Paulus	169	145	173
Hoebler	128	182	138	Dopper	145	168	151
Edelman	151	168	199	Yochum	145	129	186
Seibel	155	196	147	Ruffenach ...	149	129	139
A. Hahn	172	157	177	C. Hahn	168	183	179
Totals	768	822	818	Totals	817	795	828

The undefeated Lyceum duckpin team again demonstrated their superiority over their worthy opponents, the Dispatch Typos, by defeating them two out of three games, and winning on total pins by 19 on the Wylie avenue alleys last night. All the games were close and exceedingly interesting, and lost by a close margin. The star bowlers were DeVore and Penn of their respective teams. DeVore had high score of 115, and best average, and he was closely followed by Penn with 114, and second best average. The other good bowlers were Schulty, Steinel, Penten and McGrath. After the game a banquet was served by Bob Bochler. Hard luck pin games were cut out, but most of the speeches were too elaborate to be put in print. Scores:

Typos—				Lyceum—			
Whalen	90	82	85	M. Steinel...	84	109	90
Adams	104	95	77	Penton	115	73	99
Schultz	83	93	100	McGrath	99	103	86
Winters	91	92	74	McTighe	80	77	82
Penn	81	114	90	De Vore	115	88	83
Totals	449	476	419	Totals	464	458	440

In an exhibition game last night on the Penn avenue alleys the Howards corralled all three games from the Sememe's. Soost was the high roller with 223 and White was the star with the good score of 221 and the splendid average of 202 2-3. Scores:

Howard—				Sememe—			
Koerner	131	167	116	Schmidt	138	180	150
Sperber	161	147	122	McQuiston ..	126	108	125
White	159	188	244	Engler	123	158	166
Soost	148	186	223	Meyers	146	146	125
Brennan	143	148	160	Esty	135	150	113
Totals	772	815	855	Totals	667	672	656

The Club Colts of Pittsburgh went to Washington and played the Brunswick Stars. Nearly 1,000 people saw the match. The teams are playing a series of six games, total pins to count. The Colts won the first series by 24 pins. The second series will be played on the Club alleys in Pittsburgh on Monday evening. Scores:

Club Colts—					—Games—			
	St.	Sp.	R.	P.	1st	2d	3d	Total.
Peter	8	17	2	4	147	177	177—	501
Dennison	7	15	2	7	172	178	140—	488
Smith	5	7	5	11	114	159	128—	400
Dugan	8	10	1	12	118	155	164—	437
Hewitt	12	14	2	2	220	195	159—	577
Total	40	64	13	36	781	853	769—	2,403
Brunswick Stars—					—Games—			
	St.	Sp.	R.	P.	1st	2d	3d	Total.
Sutter	12	11	3	5	160	162	206—	528
McGinnis	5	15	..	10	151	147	153—	455
Ramsey	8	14	4	5	167	148	183—	498

MATINEE CLUB IN ANNUAL MEETING

Elects Officers and Outlines Racing Plans for Summer Racing at Brunots Island.

MANY NEW RACING STARS

The Matinee club of Pittsburgh and Allegheny held its annual meeting last night in the banquet room of the Hotel Lincoln. Officers of the club were elected and plans for the coming season outlined. The outlook for a great season of sport is most promising, as much new blood in the way of light harness flyers have been acquired by the members of the club.

R. M. Weaver, the broker, made a big hit by offering a $2,500 gold cup for 2:15 trotters, to be raced for at the inter-city meet here at Brunots Island this summer. It must be won three times by entries from the same matinee club for ownership. Robert McAfee, J. D. Callery and R. M. Weaver were appointed a committee to formulate conditions under which the cup will be in competition.

Naturally the $5,000 Cleveland gold cup won last year by S. A. Pickerings Dr. Strong, was mentioned. Cleveland has two legs on the cup and only needs another win. C. K. G. Billings will send Major Delmar for it at Pittsburgh inter-city meet. The Smoky City has five and possibly six, that will start for the cup. They are Dr. Strong (2:05¾), Uncle William (2:09), Albert C. (2:09½), Robin C. (2:09½), Lady Pauline C. (2:11¼), and possibly Joe N. (2:11¾). Dr. Strong is said to be better than ever.

Charles O'Brien & Co. offered a valuable silver trophy to be awarded to trotter winning the greatest number of points during the summer at the Brunots Island matinees, 1906.

Practically the old officers and directors of the club were re-elected last night. The notable exception was the resignation of George S. Fisher as secretary and the election of W. S. Steele in the place. Mr. Steele becomes as formerly the secretary-treasurer.

The officers elected were: President, J. G. Bennett; vice president, J. D. Callery; secretary-treasurer, W. S. Steele. The directors are: J. G. Bennett, A. R. Hamilton, R. H. Boggs, J. D. Callery, J. B. Chapman, Charles Donnelly, Robert McAfee, J. H. Moore and Henry Oliver. The executive committee is: Henry Buhl, Jr., J. D. Callery, Charles Donnelly, W. V. Callery, Robert McAfee and J. R. McCune. The race committee is: S. A. Pickering, J. R. McCune and W. S. Steele. Dave G. McDonald was appointed general manager.

Members of the club have already 53 race horses which will participate in the coming matinees. Among this number are 15 new trotters and two pacers. The new trotters are: Albert C., gr. g. (3:09½); Lady Pauline C., blk. m. (2:11¾), owned by J. D. Callery; Shady Beattie, b. g. (2:14¾), owned by H. P. Haas, Bertha B., br. m. (2:15¼), owned by J. S. Wilson; George Storm, ch. g. (2:21¼); Happy Audobon, b. s. (2:23¾); Prince of Aaron, b. g. (2:20), owned by Charles Donnelly; Joe Russell, br. g. (2:16¼), owned by J. S. Wilson; Little Wonder, br. g. (2:14½), owned by J. R. McCune; Sallie Keel, b. m., owned by J. R. McCune; Little Lady, br. m. (2:14¾), owned by J. A. Giesenkamp; Darlington's McKerron, ch. g., owned by Harry Darlington; Bercuse, blk. m., owned by D. A. Rees; Trocar, b. g. and Avenue, ch. g. (2:11¾), and Ruby, b. m. (2:16½), owned by J. S. Wilson.

The 3-year-old Darlington's McKerron will bring Mr. Darlington back into the matinee racing. Trocar and Avenue are very promising young horses.

Some mention was made of the newly organized Steeplechase and Polo association and enough was learned to assure that a steeplechase course will be laid out constructed at the Brunots Island track and that the association and the club will use this racing property jointly during the coming summer.

AMATEUR BASEBALL.

The Terrible Nine changed its name to the Crane club, and elected the following: George J. Kipper, manager; John Zwergel, captain; John J. Kipper, secretary; C. J. McCauley, score keeper. All 18 years old. Address George J. Kipper, 206 Second avenue, city.

The Arbor Athletic association wants two games for Decoration day. Address J. G. Merkel, 800 Duquesne way, Pittsburgh.

The East End Athletic club would like to arrange games with all 20-year-old teams having grounds. Address Wm. Simpson, 84 Ridge avenue, North Braddock.

The Meadows want to hear from all strong out-of-town teams. Address Fred Schwartz, care Oil Well Supply Company, Water street, city.

Gambler club of Allegheny has open dates for all good teams. Address John Fowler, 102 Chester avenue, Allegheny.

The H. Edgar players are to watch The Gazette for their next meeting.

The Lyman A. C. would like to hear from all first-class teams. Write Joseph Escher, 312 Spring street, Mt. Oliver station.

The Belmonts are ready to book games with all 12-year-old teams. Address Harold Grace, Box 74, Allegheny.

The North Side A. C. has open dates. Address A. Kim, 1106 Linden street, Allegheny.

Chamberlin A. C. wants games with all amateur teams. Address Wm. Downey, 329 Taylor street, city.

All members of the St. Camsi team are to report at 2:30, April 8.

The Hazlegood Library A. C. challenges all 18-year-old teams. Address Nathan Smith, 908 Carnegie building, Pittsburgh.

The Joseph Horne Company team has organized. The lineup: Andrew Noulett, catcher; Prentice Madden, first; William Reese, second; Albert Kammerer, left; Howard Getty, third; Walter Gardner, pitcher; Leo Geis, center; Hugo Gutsche, right; Albert Darr, shortstop.

The Elkins of Jeannette want games. Write Harry Dietz, 102 Twelfth street, Jeannette, Pa.

The Clayton-Irving club will meet on Friday evening to be measured for uniforms. All 17-year-old clubs address James C. Morton, 6725 Howe street, city.

The Winterton A. C. would like to book games with all 9-10-year-old teams having grounds. Address W. J. Linnermann, 3600 Smallman street, city.

The St. Andrews Cadets challenge all 9-year-old teams. Address D. Driscoll, 1328 Carson street, Allegheny.

The Martins are ready to book games. Address Harry Richards, Carbon street, Mt. Oliver postoffice.

The Meadows are looking for a game with all fast amateur teams. Address F. Schwartz, 215 Water street, city.

Brock and Purdy in a Draw.

ERIE, PA., April 2.—(Special.)—Phil Brock of Cleveland and Billy Purdy of Oil City boxed 15 rounds to a draw before the Erie Athletic club tonight.

INDEPENDENT BASEBALL.

Red Calhoun is to call up 1744 main, P. and A. any day this week between 12 and 1 o'clock. Ask for Eastley.

F. B. Stonerod of Pittsburgh, who played the outfield for the Hutchinson team in the Kansas league last year, is free. He was signed again for this year with the same club, but a change in management left him out in the cold, and the Fairmont-Clarksburg teams will have representatives at the P. O. M. meeting tomorrow.

Directors Are Elected.

PHILADELPHIA, April 2.—The annual meeting of the Allegheny Valley Railroad Company was held here today. John B. Thayer of this city was elected a director to succeed P. A. B. Widener, and George Wood of the Pennsylvania railroad was elected to succeed J. R. Jackson of Pittsburgh. All the subsidiary companies of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company met here today. In each instance the present boards of directors were re-elected.

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CHAMPIONSHIP POOL TONIGHT

All the Teams Will Be in Action. Meeting of the County League Tonight.

Allegheny County Pool league games tonight—Glenwood at Friendship, Arlington at Olympia, Garfield at Primrose, Union at Federal, Demmel at Vorwerck, Swissvale at Crescent.

The managers of the various teams of the Allegheny County Pool league will hold a meeting at this office at 2 p. m. sharp today. Business of importance will be transacted. A committee will be appointed to select prizes for the winning teams and the names of the five players will have to be given that are to compose the teams until the end of the season. All managers will please take notice that they are expected to be present without fail.

Glenwood team please take notice that its game with Friendship tonight is to be played on the Friendship table, as an error was made by the committee on the schedule, and therefore the game will have to be transferred from Glenwood to Friendship.

Dopler and Yohrling of the Garfield team of the Allegheny Pool league please report at the Great Northern at 6:45 p. m., without fail.

The Greater Pittsburgh trio challenges any pool team for a game for $50 or $100 a side. This team is composed of the following players: Phila Kid, Frisco Kid and T. Foster. Address care of Bohlen Hotel, 604 Wylie avenue, Pittsburgh.

The crack Own team of the East End journeyed to Carnegie last night and defeated the Carnegie pool team of that place by the score of 100 to 83. The star of the contest was Shade of Carnegie, with 65 balls. The team work of the Owls was fine and finally landed the game. Score as follows:

Carnegie—		Owl—	
Michalowsky	12	Lamore	36
Ryan	24	L. Byrnes	23
Schade	65	J. Byrnes	44
Total	101	Total	103

Scratches—Carnegie 8, Owl 8. Referee—Bemis. Scorer—Lubbert.

The Owls not being able to reach the Standards by telephone, would like to hear through this paper regarding the game for Thursday evening, April 5.

The St. Joseph Juniors defeated the St. Charles Juniors last night in a very close and hotly contested game by the score of 100 to 91. The star player was Albrecht of St. Joseph, with 44 balls. Hart of St. Charles had 47, but was not given the support by his team mates. Score:

St. Joseph, Jrs.—		St. Charles, Jrs.—	
Boores	28	Hart	47
Albrecht	44	Smith	29
Harnett	28	Kutstein	15
Total	100	Total	91

Referee—Harnett. Scorer—Cunningham.

Other Baseball Games Yesterday.

At Washington—Washington (American), 3; Providence (Eastern), 3.

At Columbia—Columbia, 4; Brooklyn (National), 5.

At Charleston—Boston (National), 6; Charleston, 3.

At Atlanta—New York (Americans) 6, Atlanta 5.

MEDICAL SOCIETIES AGAINST "SCRAP"

This Form of Tobacco Should Be Banished, Say the Doctors, Because of Its Uncleanliness.

"Scrap" tobacco seems to be the latest form of food product to attract the attention of those interested in bringing about pure food reforms. "Scrap" tobacco is made of the scraps or clippings of cigar factories. As the cigar maker rolls the leaf, and forms it into a cigar he clips off the projecting ends and sides and casts them away.

A few years ago an enterprising cigar maker gathered up his scraps and sold them in paper bags at a nickel a bag. The purchaser used the "Scrap" for pipe smoking. From this beginning an extensive industry has developed. Now the clippings are bought by manufacturers who put them through various processes and sell the finished scrap for both smoking and chewing. In some sections of the country "Scrap" chewing has become very popular among working men, but present indications are that as the pure food agitators extend their work, "Scrap," at least for chewing purposes, will become very unpopular.

A number of prominent medical societies and journals have been investigating scrap conditions recently, and their findings are not at all pleasant to contemplate. Mr. Clark Bell, president of the Medico-Legal society of New York, in a recent interview stated: "The great danger of scrap tobacco arises from the prevalence of disease among the workmen in many of the cheap cigar factories of the large cities. No tobacco user can be sure his Scrap is not from one of these filthy workshops."

The tobacco dealers in some of the large cities have expressed themselves as indifferent to the fate of scrap. One of them is quoted as saying: "If Scrap is made of filthy tobacco it is of course unfit for man to put into his mouth. Some scrap unquestionably comes from clean factories, but the difficulty lies in determining what is clean and what unclean. Personally, I believe the scrap craze is just about ended. My trade is coming back to plug. I often compare scrap to hash, and plug to good beefsteak.

"If some boarding house keeper should advertise a big plate of hash made of the scraps from the tables of the neighborhood for 5 cents, it is hardly probable that anybody would leave his juicy and wholesome beefsteak for such hash. If the manufacturers of scrap should advertise that it is made of waste and scraps from the tables of a half million cigar makers, many of them in the slums of the larger cities, it is hardly probable that there would be any chewers of 'scrap' tobacco."

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BASEBALL PRACTICE STARTED

Outdoor baseball practice was started yesterday at Pittsburgh High school and Shadyside academy. The High school players did not accomplish much, as the ground was unfit for work and Coach Wentz decided to call off practice until the diamond is put in shape. Of the old players who reported yesterday to Capt. Orr there were Ralston, Rosser, Haggerty, Patterson, Williams, Robinson and Hoffman. Shadyside had batting practice and the outfielders had a chance to work. The pitching candidates lobbed and curved the ball to the batters. Frank Eastley had charge of the pitchers.

Manager Dave Johns of the W. U. P. team issued a call for candidates yesterday. W. U. P. will begin practice probably tomorrow afternoon on Observatory hill. Of the players who will try for the team the best known are Thompson, Russell, Mackrell, Wymard, Mehl, Thomas, Llewellen, Klawuhn, J. Frye, Ralston, Morrow, Kennedy and Smith.

Of all the preparatory schools in the United States, Andover has probably the strongest athletic teams. While it is intellectually a preparatory school, it is in the age, weight and strength of its athletic teams stronger than many colleges.

The prospects for a team this year are very good. Bart Hayes, who played on the Harvard '92 team, and Charlie Clough, captain for the last two years, will coach the team. At catching Jones, who caught last year, is showing up well, but two other catchers have been found in Moore and Hemessey. There is a wealth of pitching material. Charlie Lanigan, the lawrence lad, and Merritt, who made their letters last year, will probably do the brunt of the pitching, but a wonder has been developed in Lyte, the 6-foot-4 lad from Dorchester, who has both speed and control. Clow, of last year's team, may play in the outfield, owing to his hitting ability.

Capt. Reilly is the only old man trying for the infield. He will play second base. A great gap will have to be filled up at first, owing to Charlie Clough's inability to play this year, but a good man has been found in Gunning. Fels, who played short last year until taken sick, will probably take third, owing to his fine wing and the vast amount of territory he can cover.

Short is an unknown quantity, but Washburn of Brockton

FAVORITES WIN AT BENNINGS

Tickle Starts the Fun by Winning Easily—Reidmore Runs Home Without Trouble.

GOOD WORK ON ALL TRACKS

WASHINGTON, April 2.—Five favorites and a strong second choice were registered as winners on the first day of the second week of the races at Bennings. The weather was the most beautiful of the meeting thus far, and this, coupled with an excellent card, attracted an unusually large crowd for a Monday. Hundreds of ladies in handsome costumes gave the grandstand an Easter-like appearance.

Tickle, an odds-on favorite, had no difficulty in accounting for the first race by six lengths. Hattie Bouncer got the place from Baby Willie in a hard drive. Gertrude F., on whom a tip had gone all over the ring, acted badly at the post and finally when the barrier went up, whirled and was left. August Belmont's entries in the second, Curriculum and Pon du Lac, were coupled and made the favorites. Curriculum's jockey, Morris, waited until the turn into the stretch and then came away and won eased up from The Galloper, which just beat Woodline for the place.

Campaigner and Powder Horn were made nearly even favorites for the third, the former closing at a trifle the lower odds. Powder Horn blew up on the turn and did not figure in the result. Campaigner won handily, with Brittanby second and Strong Arm third.

The Clown had the fourth all his own way. Vagabond getting the place from Hocus Focus without serious effort. The upset of the day was in the fifth event, in which Belmont's Lord of the Vale was at all times a hot favorite. All of the starters were fancied, however, Ben Hodder and Pater especially carrying a load of money. Pater and Ben Hodder were the first to show, but the latter soon dropped back. Lord of the Vale and Race King forging ahead of him. So they ran to the end, the Belmont horse making unavailing efforts to overtake the fleet Pater in the last furlong.

Reidmoore, which opened an even favorite, with Dekaber at 2 to 1, was so heavily played that at post time his odds had dropped to 6 to 5. He ran away with the race, Dekaber getting the place easily from Widow's Mite. Summaries:

First race, for fillies and mares, 3-year-olds and upward, 5 furlongs, Columbia course—Tickle, 92 (Miller), 1 to 3 and out, won; Bettie Bouncer, 92 (McDaniel), 8 to 1 and 7 to 10, second; Baby Willie, 92 (Schaller), 40 to 1, third. Time, 1:03 2-5. Hattie Day, Gertrude F., Cassandra and Azure also ran.

Second race, for fillies and geldings, maiden 2-year-olds, half a mile, old course—Curriculum, 98 (C. Morris), 7 to 5 and 1 to 2, won; The Galloper, 99 (McDaniel), 4 to 1 and 8 to 5, second; Woodline, 92 (L. Smith), 20 to 1, third. Time, :51. Fond du Lac, Orphan Lad, Ponemah, Wabash Queen, Jai Alai, Windfall and Pantaloon also ran.

Third race, for colts, maiden 2-year-olds, 4½ furlongs, old course—Campaigner, 102 (McDaniel), 8 to 5 and 1 to 2, won; Brittanby, 107 (Romanelli), 12 to 1 and 4 to 1, second; Strong Arm, 102 (Diggins), 8 to 1, third. Time, :59. Powder Horn, King Brush, Average, Prince Paul, Encore and West Over also ran.

Fourth race, for 3-year-olds, 6½ furlongs, Columbia course—The Clown, 106, Miller, 3 to 5 and out, won; Vagabond, 102, Burns, 50 to 1, and 5 to 1, second; Hocus Pocus, 101, McDaniel, 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:24. Old Guard, Watercourse, Radical, Contractor and Indra also ran.

Fifth race, handicap, for 3-year-olds and upward, 6½ furlongs, Columbia course—Pater, 101 (Miller), 3½ to 1 and even, won; Lord of the Vale, 123 (J. Jones), even and out, second; Race King, 110 (Robbins), 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:22 1-5. Ben Hodder and Veronese also ran.

Sixth race, selling, for 3-year-olds and upwards, one mile, Columbia course—Reidmoore, 92 (Dekoe), 7 to 5 and 3 to 5, won; Dekaber, 110 (Miller), 2 to 1 and even, second; Widow's Mite, 110 (Romanelli), 40 to 1, third. Time, 1:44. John E. Ahearn, Bill Curtis, The Veiled Lady and Delphie also ran.

BENNINGS ENTRIES TUESDAY.

First race, Handicap—⅝ mile, 3 years old and up, Columbia course:

Sterling	112	Daruma	107
Tickle	107	Royal Window	102
Blue Coat	106	Optical	98
Prospero	105	Nutwood	97

Second race—4½ furlongs, 2-year-olds, old course:

Bush Hill	102	Prosperity	99
Isidor Hirsch	102	Moccasin	99
Nancy	102		

Third race—6½ furlongs, 4 years old and up, selling, Columbia course:

Tom Cod	110	Mettle	105
Zany	110	Blue Sky	105
Hanover Hornpipe	107	*Parkville	105
My Grace	107	*Max Aron	102

*Apprentice allowance.

Fourth race—Steeplechase, maidens, about 2 miles:

Harry Patton	153	Saltine	153
Prince of Pilsen	154	La Dannacor	149
Copper	154	Loney Haskell	137

Fifth race—¾ mile, 3 years old and up, selling, Columbia course:

The Cure	109	*Winchester	97
Workman	109	T. S. Martin	95
Sais	107	Water Dog	89
*Nattie Bumppo	97	Merlingo	88

*Apprentice allowance.

Sixth race—1 mile, 3 years old and up, selling, Columbia course:

Tom Cod	116	Gadsarion	97
Grand Duchess	108	Sir Brinkley	92
*Flat	106	Winifred A.	87
*Castor	103	*Gentian	87
Pleasant Days	102	*Society Bud	87
Nonsense	102		

*Apprentice allowance.

Three Favorites Beaten at New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, April 2.—Consuelo II., Enverite and Daniel C. were the beaten favorites at the Fair Grounds today. The weather was clear and the track fast. Summaries:

First race, 5½ furlongs—Swell Girl, 105 (Bedell), 8 to 5, won; Grove Center, 107 (D. Riley), 20 to 1, second; Come on Sam, 112 (R. Duncan), 7 to 1, third. Time, 1:07 4-5. Stockwood, Rhinock, T. B. Zero, Merry Belle, Wedding Ring, Henpecked and Globe Runner also ran.

Second race, 1 5-16 miles—Auramaster, 118 (L. Jones), 7 to 2, won; Consuelo II., 10 (W. McGee), even, second; Canyon, 106 (Bedell), 5 to 1, third. Time, 2:01 3-5. Nine, Footlights Favorite also ran.

Third race, one mile—Lone Girl, 115 (Aubuchon), 15 to 1, won; Enverite, 116 (Bedell), 3 to 2, second; Louise McFarlan, 112 (Perrine), 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:42 1-5. Lady Ethel, Arabo, Ezikal, Dromio and Celebration also ran.

Fourth race—2½ furlongs—Frank Lord, 118 (Bedell), 3 to 10, won; My Son, 94 (Hagan), 10 to 1, second; Charlie L. Lee, 90 (Moreland), 10 to 1, third. Time, :42 3-5. Judge Davey, Lavernite, Buster Jones and Salvisa also ran.

Fifth race, 3½ furlongs—Gold Rose, 116 (Livingston), 9 to 20, won; Burleigh, 121 (Feicht), 2 to 1, second; Stoner Hill, 105 (W. McGee), 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:06. Cap Golden, J. Mack and Fenian also ran.

Sixth race, one mile—Fred Hornbeck, 111 (Johnson), 16 to 1, won; Daniel C., 95 (D. Riley), 2 to 1, second; Prince Salm, 111 (Bedell), 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:42. Ritter Brown, Mohave, Request, Hunterdon, Mainspring, Augur, Brookston, Docile, King of the Valley and Hand Bag also ran.

CITY PARK ENTRIES TUESDAY.

First race—1 1-16 miles, selling:

Swift Wing	107	Dungannon	105
Reticent	107	Anna Fitzhugh	105
Flying Charcoal	107	Janet A.	101
Arab	107	Sanction	101
Tryce	107	Jacob	98

Second race—4 furlongs:

George Duchscherer	115	Stella Land	111
Lady Mala	112	Early Spring	108
Money Maker	112	Laura B.	108
Charley Ward	112	Betsy Binford	108
King of Millbrook	111	Prophetess	108
Big Hand	111	Martha V.	108
Doc Kyle	111	Nicotine	108
Reside	111		

Third race—6 furlongs, selling:

Thespian	114	Husted	100
Rosenhurst	109	Tichimingo	98
Brand New	108	Goldie	97
Prince Brutus	108		

Fourth race—1 mile, handicap:

Debar	112	Florizel	97
Envoy	105	Shawana	95
Elliott	100	Creel	93
Major T. J. Carson	100		

Fifth race—7 furlongs, selling:

Mynheer	113	Cloverhampton	108
Dewey Day	113	Kara	108
Sarconia	113	Immortelle	108
Arthur Cummer	113	Oural	97
Canuara	113	Ferroniere	97
Adare	110	Rain Devils	87
The Only Way	110	Annie Berry	82
Marco	108		

Sixth race—7 furlongs:

Dennis Sullivan	112	Graydal	109
Capt. Bush	112	Mayor Duncan	102
Clinnap	112	Mandina	107
Gold Bearer	112	Sibylla	107
Gold Proof	112	Malt	107
Pitkin	112	Mrs. Phillips	107
George E. Milner	109	Anna Day	107
Topo Chico	109		

Seventh race—1⅛ miles, selling:

Florizel	109	Helgerson	106
Bell the Cat	109	Devonshire	106
Drexel	109	Eclectic	106
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Calendar	107	Piety of Castesta	107
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Third race, 1 mile—Pontotoc, 107 (McLaughlin), 6 to 5, won; Hyperion II., 109 (Sewell), 7 to 2, second; Embarrassment, 112 (Harris), 11 to 5, third. Time, 1:39 3-5. Foxhall also ran.

Fourth race, 6 furlongs—Martins, 109 (Sewell), 9 to 2, won; J. W. O'Neill, 102 (Cherry), 3 to 1, second; Mafalda, 104 (Dennison), 6 to 5, third. Time, 1:14. Ben Lear, Black Art and Master Prim also ran.

Fifth race, 5½ furlongs—Miss Leeds, 100 (Basqueal), 7 to 1, won; Ina Gray, 100 (Hardwick), 6 to 1, second; Lavenia True, 95 (Cherry), 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:08 2-5. Lettie Sonnet, Kuropatkin, Kiali, King Agamina, Jack Hope, Elopus, Mary Mac and Ramoncita also ran.

Sixth race, 1 1-16 miles—Charlie Thompson, 117 (Sewell), 11 to 20, won; Potrero Grande, 107 (H. Jackson), 7 to 5, second; Legatee, 103 (Schilling), 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:49 1-5. Three started.

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First race—6½ furlongs:

The Saracen	97	Ollie Burnett	101
I. Samelson	110	Lady Lusk	100
Animosity	105	Swing Corners	100
Bandillo	102	Selfish	95
Brooktide	101		

Second race—4 furlongs:

Bittersea	113	Miss Ermeline	114
Margaret Morris	115	May O'Bryan	114
Helen Clawson	115	Dr. Root	118
The Bear	115	Expect to See	118
Mollie Ball	116	Edwin T. Fryer	118
Chancellor	116	Celsis	117
Boxman	117	Benevolent	118

Third race—1 mile and 70 yards:

Charlatan	102	Scalplock	102
Telegrapher	105	Pontotoc	118
Convolo	105		

Fourth race—0½ furlongs:

Secret	104	Young Sater	99
King Wilda	101	Little Gregg	102
Ina Gray	90	J. P. Mayberry	110

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Amherst Concert Tonight.

Much interest centers in the concert to be given this evening at the Hotel Schenley by the Amherst College Glee, Banjo and Mandolin clubs. The following program will be given:

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Sentry March.....
Banjo Club.
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Glee Club.
Campus Dreams.....Blake '97
Mandolin Club.
Robinson Crusoe's Isle.....Hein
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Reading.....Selected
Mr. Dillon.

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Darktown Jubilee.....Eno
Banjo Club.
Peter Gray.....
Ostette.
Southern Medley.....
Glee Club.
Mandolin Club.
Moonlight.....Moret
Fill Your Steins.....Mittel
Glee Club.
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Kenneth R. Cunningham, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Cunningham of Graham street, who is spending the Easter vacation at home, is a student at Amherst, and is entertaining six of the Glee club members during their stay here.

Entertainments for April Bride.

This afternoon Miss Edna Dean Lappe, the fiance of Malcolm Harper, will be the honor guest at a plate shower to be given by Mrs. J. Slater Crawford at her home in Ingram. The contributors to the shower will include Miss Virginia Truby, Miss Jean McCloy, Miss Charlotte Overend, Miss Jean Bunton, Mrs. Ralph Richards, Miss Myrtle Lappe, Miss Edna Kelly, Miss Elizabeth Gilmore, Miss Stella Stolzenbach, Miss Nell Brown, Mrs. Rowland, Mrs. R. A. Matheny, Mrs. Walter Burchinal and Mrs. Frank Kenworthy. Following the shower will be a game of bridge at which two prizes in hand-painted china will be awarded.

Another entertainment for a prospective bride will be a bridge luncheon on Friday next to be given by Miss Virginia Urban, of South Beatty street, East End, for Miss Lazada Dean, the fiancee of Fred Albert Bixler, of Youngstown. Miss Urban is to serve as a bridesmaid at the wedding and her guest will also include the other maids, Miss Florence Bixler and Miss Sarah Robb, and the matron of honor, Mrs. George J. Hagan, together with a few other friends.

Anniversary Tea.

Mrs. James Warren Paul entertained with a handsome 4 o'clock tea yesterday in honor of her tenth wedding anniversary. The decorations were carried out with spring blossoms. Mrs. Paul was assisted by Mrs. Luke B. Chesbro, Mrs. F. T. Webster, Mrs. Clarence Postelthwaite, Mrs. I. B. Chantler, Miss Winifred Scott and Miss Jane Crosby. In the evening Mr. and Mrs. Paul entertained with cards.

Announce Engagement of Daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Garrity of Fleming avenue, Allegheny, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Etta Garrity to Howard L. Cunningham. The engagement will terminate in a June wedding.

Studio Recital.

A studio recital was given last evening at the Curry Conservatory of Music, in which the following participated: Mrs. C. E. Christman, Miss Ida Mae Heatley, Miss Blanche Quest, Miss Ida Hawk, Miss Ethel Pender, Miss Garnet Coates, Miss Anna Cohen, Miss Helen Blumenthal, Miss Mary Miller, Miss Annie Wise, Miss Hilda Cronenweth and Miss Anna Egil.

Wedding Invitations Out.

Cards have been issued by Dr. and Mrs. L. W. Stephens of Kelly avenue, Wilkinsburg, announcing the coming marriage of their daughter, Miss May Stephens, to B. H. Clark of Lang avenue, East End. The wedding will take place at the home of the bride on the evening of April 25, in the presence of relatives and friends. Later a reception will be given for which 250 invitations have been issued.

Club Masquerade.

An informal masquerade was given last evening at the Bellefield club, in charge of a committee composed of Miss Aimee Weil, Miss Lucille Miller, Miss Elizabeth McCracken and Miss Myrtle Price. Among the participants from away were Miss Weil's guest, Miss Friedman, and Miss Peck, the visitor of Miss Jean Roberts of Howe street.

Williams-Jones Wedding Tonight.

Miss Nellie Darling Williams and William Evan Jones will be married this evening at the home of the bride in North Lang avenue by the Rev. J. H. Norris of the First Pentecostal church.

Personal Mention.

Mrs. Minna T. Langenheim of Colonial place, Shadyside, with her daughters, Miss Flora E. and Miss Gertrude A. Langenheim, will leave on April 12 for New York, whence they will sail two days later for Naples. They will travel through Italy during the spring, while the remainder of their stay abroad until autumn will be spent in Switzerland and Germany.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Mytinger Plumer of South Highland avenue, East End, left yesterday for Atlantic City, where they will remain until Easter Monday.

Mrs. George R. Bothwell of Allegheny will leave tomorrow for New York, where she will be joined by her son, Edward G. Bothwell, a Princeton man.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Schumacher have returned from their wedding trip, which included New York, Washington, Old Point Comfort and Atlantic City. They will remain for a time with Mrs. Schumacher's father, John C. Alrich of Shady avenue, before going to their own home in Rippey street. Mrs. Schumacher will be recalled as Miss Florence Bell Alrich.

THE GAZETTE FASHION.

LATEST IN LINGERIE HATS.

A dainty design in Venetian or shaped embroidery, made especially to wear with the smart frocks of linen, lawn and other semi-transparent materials of which there are so many this season. The hat is conventional shape which makes it possible to show off its trimming to the best advantage. White taffeta ribbon striped with lines of pink and green satin is tied around the crown, finished in a simple bow and about the ribbon is entwined a wreath of cowslips and tiny pink rose buds.

The lingerie hats this year will enjoy unprecedented vogue because they are extremely beautiful and vastly varied. Much of their expense can be saved by the woman who is skillful with her needle, for the large circles of linen from which the hats are made, come already stamped with handsome patterns, so that they have only to be embroidered and attached to the frames. The lingerie hat, by the way, is the smartest of all-white hats, and the newest designs can be buttoned on the foundations, to be taken off and put on with ease, so that the matter of cleaning them is also wonderfully simplified.

THE CLUBS

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Addresses Press Club.

George W. Gerwig, secretary of the Allegheny board of school controllers, gave a bright and witty talk to the Women's Press club yesterday afternoon. Mr. Gerwig spoke particularly of the attitude which women bear toward the world in general, his subject being "The Point of View." He claimed that the education of women as at present conducted does not tend toward character-building as it should, thought it furnishes ample discipline. The education which women receive does not give them the broad outlook it should nor the readiness to grasp the larger opportunities and the wider scope which are presented to women of the twentieth century. Intuitively they meet these opportunities, but not through the process of education. Preceding the address a short business meeting was conducted. Those in attendance besides the members of the club included Miss Florence Little of New York, Miss Jennie Mix, Miss Susan Haymaker, Miss Marion Haymaker, Miss Julia Schoenfeld, Miss Anna Lazear, Miss Anna Lyons, Mrs. W. W. McCandless, Miss Damlan, Mrs. Jane Hall, Mrs. B. M. Perry, Mrs. George Dice, Miss Virginia Goff, Miss A. L. Dellens, Mrs. Charles W. Gerwig, Miss Gracia Gunnett, Miss Nell Guthrie of Indiana, Miss Suzanne Beatty, Mrs. T. G. Evans, Miss Marie Craighead, Miss May Stranahan, Miss Emma Stevenson, Miss Linn, Miss Edith Denniston, Miss Alberta Hay, Miss Cunningham, Miss Dill and others.

Revolution in Isle of Pines.

The Tourists listened with deepest interest to one of their number, Mrs. Albert Pettit, yesterday afternoon, as she told of recent events in the Isle of Pines. Mrs. Pettit was with her mother and sister in their winter home on the island during the revolutionary events of the winter when the Americans there took matters into their own hands in their attempt to wrest the control of the island from Cuba. Mrs. Pettit claims that the feeling which caused the revolution is still smouldering and may break out again at any moment.

The regular program for the club meeting was somewhat shortened to allow Mrs. Pettit to speak. Mrs. A. A. MacLachlan read a paper on "Russia's Foreign Relations;" Mrs. John Cowley described the "French Invasion of Russia" under Napoleon. Short tales of the Russian people were told by Miss Hasley and Miss Mary Ure. The music consisted of songs by Miss Edith Hanna and piano numbers by Miss Mary Ure, Miss Edith Hanna and Mrs. Otto C. Gaub.

District Conferences of Women's Clubs.

The eastern district of the State Federation of Pennsylvania Women will hold a club conference in Chester, Pa., on Friday, April 6. It will be an all-day affair, the clubwomen taking their luncheon and remaining for both morning and afternoon sessions. The club conference in the eastern district is arranged by the state vice president for that section, Mrs. Isaac H. Rhoads of Lansdowne. The state president, Miss Kate C. McKnight, though she expects to be in the east at that time, will not attend, as she leaves home at this time for a complete rest and to recuperate that she may go to St. Paul for the biennial last of May.

The central district of the State federation will hold its first conference in May in Harrisburg. The central district is not as well organized as the eastern and western, but as a result of this conference under the direction of the vice president for the central district, Miss Lyra Lloyd Dock, it is hoped that the club movement will receive an impetus in that section of the state.

Miss McKnight Goes East.

Miss Kate C. McKnight expects to leave tomorrow for the East, where she will try to secure a much-needed rest preparatory to returning home and starting in May for the biennial in St. Paul. The Hotel Ryan will be headquarters of the Pennsylvania delegation in St. Paul, and Miss McKnight urges that delegates wishing to be at that hotel write early for their rooms. It is expected that the board of directors of the General Federation of Women's Clubs will also be located there. No definite word has been received regarding the train by which the Pennsylvania delegation will travel to St. Paul, but it is expected that the local delegates will leave home May 29, arriving in St. Paul May 30. On that day there will be a meeting of the board of directors, and on the following evening the biennial will open.

Planning for Hospital Benefit.

Mrs. Lewis Plumer, president of the Ladies' Aid society of the Pittsburgh hospital, will give a box party at the matinee for the benefit of the hospital on April 18, in the Nixon. Mrs. Thomas S. Schultz will be the guest of honor. Mrs. Charles L. Taylor will give a box party and will entertain at luncheon at the Fort Pitt preceding the matinee. Mrs. Joseph E. Barnes will give a theater party. Mrs. Willis F. McCook will have a box and Miss Maloney will give a theater party for her house guest, Mrs. Henry H. Kuser of Trenton, N. J. The officers of the society wish it emphatically stated that no seats will be reserved for the matinee previous to the opening of the box office on Monday morning, April 16, at 10 o'clock.

The School Room Beautiful.

Many of the women's clubs are co-operating with the Pittsburgh and Allegheny Free Kindergarten association and will send representatives to the lecture this evening by Henry Turner Bailey, art director of the schools of Massachusetts. The lecture, which will be on "The School Room Beautiful," will be given at 8:15 o'clock in the First United Presbyterian church, Fifth avenue, near the Hotel Schenley. A reception in honor of Mr. Bailey will be given this afternoon at 4 o'clock in the Kindergarten college, Fifth avenue, by the Teachers' Art club.

Two Sewickley Lectures.

The last artists' day of the season will be held on Wednesday afternoon by the Woman's club of Sewickley in the Edgeworth club house. Leon Vincent of Philadelphia will lecture on the "Hotel de Rambouillet." Mrs. Samuel C. Scott will be hostess at the regular artists' day tea to follow the program. The Woman's club and the Edgeworth club will entertain jointly with a lecture on Thursday evening of this week, at the club house. Dr. Isenaga of Japan will talk on "The East and the West."

Millinery Class Exhibits.

The Business Women's club held its regular business meeting last evening in its rooms, Arch street, Allegheny. The meeting was short, the greater part of the evening being taken up in examining the exhibits of the millinery classes which were having their opening. The display was a brilliant one, showing the skillful work during the winter months of the pupils in the fascinating art of trimming hats.

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ARE WE THIEVES?

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He bears eloquent testimony to the fact that while she would never take any of his goods outright, yet the pretty kneeler in almost every church in town does not hesitate to steal his patterns and designs—just those things which he has paid thousands of dollars to make his exclusive property.

Another of her penchants is an occasional wear which she takes out of his most becoming and possibly perishable goods.

And he is at his wits' end to frustrate her.

She does not call it stealing, even to herself—just borrowing—and to the dealer she naturally does not ure even so frank a term. It is all in the point of view, of course, and the merchants would greatly appreciate a course of lectures in the various chapels that would convince some fashionable and not-to-be-offended customers that they are making daily and direct infractions of the eighth commandment.

To take out a tailor-made and have it copied by a dressmaker may be taken as a good example of that state of mind in which one is "inclined" to steal.

Jewelry and hair ornaments, if only brilliants and rhinestones are taken out and worn for some particular occasion, and the same principle is involved as when men take a "chance" with other people's money in the stock markets. It is just as much a "steal" to take out a centerpiece or sofa pillow and copy the design or pattern as it would be to slip a paper pattern into your pocket or shopping bag.

The signs that the shopkeepers are putting up in one department after another politely declining to take back certain lines of goods are admitted frankly to be aimed at just this kind of stealing.

Even the mourners at funerals were not exempt from suspicion, and temptation was removed by refusing to take back black silk waists. Hostesses made use of playing cards until dealers refused to take back packets where the seals were broken. Hats were worn repeatedly until a discretely worded sign announced that "on account of the liability to damage in packing, millinery could not be returned."

White waists and organdie gowns were borrowed to have pictures taken until the ban was put on the return of light colored garments. Stamped goods of all kinds are under a stiff embargo.

It is not only the small shops that complain of these practices. The largest establishments which carry on their books the socially prominent are victims as well to this spirit of over-thriftiness. The fact that their customers have accounts serves to render them more easily victimized.

It is only the woman who carries into her shopping such high principles as will render the intent of these notices unintelligible that does not have reason to be as conscious as the veriest burglar when she responds to the eighth commandment.

A White Season.

Despite the free use of vivid colors this will be a white season. The high-class tailors report that white broadcloth, serge and flannel are in unprecedented demand for simple walking costumes as well as for visiting and driving. They advise the selection of the better grade materials as the cheaper goods soil more readily and also stand less chance of returning from the cleaner's in perfect condition.

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C. C. HAMILTON,
280 Fourth ave. Ground Floor.

TO LET—Desk room; 'phones, stenographer, 502 Times Bldg.

Furnished Houses.

FURNISHED HOUSE—'Phone 2480-W Highland, or 1901 North St. Clair st.

FOR RENT.

Business Property.

YEARLY RENTAL.

$2,200—Fifth ave., office, 23x45 ft.
$4,500—Liberty ave., 3-story bldg.
$ 900—Second ave., 1st floor, 20x90.
$3,500—Penn ave., store, 24x160.
$ 712—Frick bldg., room 525.
$ 800—Wylie ave., offices, 2d and 3d floors.
$3,600—Liberty, 3-story and basement.
$ 420—Federal, Allegheny, 2d and 3d floors.
$ 600—Liberty ave., ½ 3d floor, 22x60.
$ 720—Brushton, storeroom and 6 rooms.

Liggett, Lennox & Watkins,
Removed to 8th floor
Peoples Bank Bldg.,
Fourth ave., cor. Woods st.
Opposite former location.

TO LET.

NEW EIGHT-STORY BUILDING,
Seventh Street.
LOW RENT AND LONG LEASE.
83,000 SQ. FEET FLOOR SPACE.
Thoroughly fireproof, modern, electric elevators; white tile front; all latest improvements; rear shipping entrance; immediate possession.

H. R. SCOTT, AGENT.
Farmers Bank Bldg.

TO LET.
Seventh Street.
$1,500 Year.
Three-story building, 30x75; elevator, etc.; fine location.

H. R. SCOTT, AGENT.
1411 Farmers Bank Bldg.

FOR RENT—$3,500 a year; No. 323 Second avenue, between Smithfield and Wood sts.; 3-story brick business buildings; storeroom 17x81 feet; possession at once; entire building now being re-modeled.
Send for our new To Let List.
L. A. CLARK & CO.,
Suite 512, Columbia Bank Bldg.,
Corner Fourth and Wood.

TWO FLOORS,
134 Ninth street. Will rent rooms separately or in suite, $5.00 to $25.00 a room, including heat.
LAND TRUST COMPANY,
315 Fourth ave.

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OFFICES

Are right in the vortex of Pittsburgh's bustling business section. Every room has good light and ventilation. Every room has private lavatory with hot and cold water. Every floor has a modern toilet room. First-class elevator service. You can rent a single room or any number of connecting rooms—a whole floor, if you wish. Quality and location considered, these offices are the cheapest in the city.

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311 FOURTH AVE.

OFFICES TO LET,
ELEGANT LIGHT, CHEERFUL OFFICES $18 A MONTH
And Upward.
PENN BUILDING,
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Heat, Light, Janitor and Elevator Service the best. Apply to Superintendent in the Building, or to the
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OFFICES CENTRALLY LOCATED,
IN THE
FERGUSON BUILDING.
Attractive offices at the low rentals of $20 to $27 50 a month in the Ferguson bldg., Third avenue entrance; heat, light and janitor service free; safety vault in each office; good elevator service.
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NEW BUILDING, Corner Ninth st. and Penn ave., 2d floor offices; electric light, heat, elevator and janitor service furnished free. Rents $25.00 to $40.00.
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Suite of 5 offices (1200 square feet); new downtown office building, or will rent separate; one-year lease; will entertain any reasonable offer; present tenant had to secure larger quarters.
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TO LET—Offices, 2d floor front, 247-249 Water st. near Wood st., up one flight; splendid light, river front; unsurpassed location for river, coal, iron or similar business; rent reasonable; possession April 1.
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311 Fourth ave.

Manufacturing Sites.

DESIRABLE MANUFACTURING PLANT.
As a whole or separate; three corrugated iron buildings, with power and shafting; sizes 85x80, 50x65 and 50x30; also nice separate office with two rooms, desk and safe; also additional ground. Address Owner, 501 Diamond National Bank bldg.

FOR SALE.

City and Suburban Residences.

FOR SALE—We have a handsome corner lot 83x100, situate on two of the most prominent streets in the Shadyside district, on which is erected a handsome residence of 10 rooms, large reception hall, 2 bathrooms; in fact, an ideal location; the owner has commissioned us to sell at a price of $16,000, and may accept less for a quick turn. This is a bargain.
Send for our new To Let List.
L. A. CLARK & CO.,
Suite 512, Columbia Bank Bldg.,
Corner Fourth and Wood.

LARGE STONE RESIDENCE.
REDUCED TO $30,000.

To Be Sold—All-stone residence built for owner and at present occupied by owner; 14 rooms, 2 dressing rooms, one private and one hall bath (both tiled walls and floors), both gases, electric light; hardwood floors and finish; extra handsome mantels, large lot; on one of the most desirable streets in Homewood.
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311 Fourth ave.

CRAFTON.

$3,500—A decided bargain at this figure. This house is fitted with all modern conveniences and has six rooms, hall and bath. Do not let this escape your notice, as it is just the house you want; street cars stop in front of the door.
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FOR SALE very cheap, 4 brick houses in Wilkinsburg, on Mifflin st.; take the East Pittsburgh or Forbes st. Wilkinsburg cars to Mifflin st. We can show you these houses in evening or at any time. $350 cash, balance monthly.

FOR SALE—We have a number of handsome, up-to-date residences situate in Bellevue and Avalon; paved streets, ranging in price from $5,000 to $8,500. Payments of $1,000 will be accepted, the balance may be paid the same as rent. All well located, large lots. Owner has commissioned us to sell these properties, and are to be cut from their original prices. Convenient to all street cars.
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Suite 512, Columbia Bank Bldg.,
Corner Fourth and Wood.

$17,500 BUYS

2-story, 11-room buff brick, center hall house in Baum Grove district; hot water heating system; lot 46x105. Worth $20,000, but will sell for $17,500, $5,000 can remain at 4 per cent. This is attractive either for home or investment.
LAND TRUST COMPANY,
315 Fourth ave.

FOR SALE—Best district in Jackson st., lot 48x135; solid brick residence of 10 rooms, two bathrooms; electric light; both gases; instantaneous water heater; in fact, a complete home; $15,500; possession at once.
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L. A. CLARK & CO.,
Suite 512, Columbia Bank Bldg.,
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$4,800. $4,800.
Will buy an 11-room center hall house in 15th ward; 4 large lots.
SEE BURNS & REILLY R. E. CO.,
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334 Fourth ave.

FOR SALE.

City and Suburban Residences.

FOR SALE.
NEW ARTISTIC STONE HOUSES
WITH LARGE LOTS.
BEST LOCATION IN CRAFTON.

Houses contain 11 rooms, reception hall, tile lined bathroom, laundry, w. c. and furnace in cellar (cellar cemented); finished throughout in hardwood; gas and electric light fixtures, cabinet mantels; decorated in the very best manner; most beautiful houses in Crafton; must be seen to be appreciated.

These houses will be sold at a bargain to quick buyers on easy terms.

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FOR SALE.
New brick house, containing nine rooms, reception hall, bath, pantry; all modern conveniences. Lot 30x125. Best residence district in Bellevue.
Will be sold at a bargain to quick buyers, on easy terms.
See your agent or call on
E. M. BUTZ COMPANY,
A-R-C-H-I-T-E-C-T-S,
501 Fulton Bldg., Sixth St.

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New stone and brick residence; 10 rooms, reception hall, bath, pantry; all modern conveniences. Artistic design. Must be seen to be appreciated. Lot 50x144. Easy terms.
See your broker or call on
E. M. BUTZ COMPANY,
A-R-C-H-I-T-E-C-T-S,
501 Fulton Bldg., Sixth St.

BEAUTIFUL DWELLINGS.

IN A HIGH CLASS NEIGHBORHOOD, LOCATED ON DUNMOYLE AND WIGHTMAN STS., TWO SQUARES FROM FIFTH AVE.

FOUR HOUSES.

NOW READY FOR OCCUPANCY. 10 TO 12 ROOMS EACH. HARDWOOD FINISHED, DOUBLE FLOORS, BROAD PORCHES, IMPROVEMENTS ALL PAID FOR; LOTS

33x150.

40 FOOT LAWNS.

$8,500 to $9,500.

REAL ESTATE TRUST CO.,
OR
OLIVER ESTATE OFFICE,
WOOD ST. AND OLIVER AVE.

FOR SALE.
Fifteen, up-to-date brick residences, with all modern conveniences and in fine condition, situate in Hazelwood, located on good, paved streets, convenient to street cars; these properties were recently acquired, and the new owners are desirous of disposing of them, and will do so at a sacrifice. Here is your opportunity for acquiring a home on easy payments; make us an offer, and we will do the rest.
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L. A. CLARK & CO.,
Suite 512, Columbia Bank Bldg.,
Corner Fourth and Wood.

To Our Friends and Patrons:

Please consider this a personal notice that we have moved from 803 Park Bldg. and are now located and doing business in our new quarters, 412 Grant street (entire first floor) and a cordial invitation to call and inspect same.

Very truly yours,
M'KLVEEN-WHITE & CO.,
Real Estate "Hustlers."

FOR SALE—BELLEVUE.
$5,000—New house, 7 rooms, bath, laundry, modern throughout, paved street.
$7,000—New brick, 9 rooms, all modern conveniences, newly papered, paved street, 200 ft. from car line.
J. A. GIBSON & CO.,
16 North Diamond st., West.

FOR SALE.
House of 7 rooms and one acre of ground, within 40 minutes' ride of the heart of the city, which I will sell at a bargain to quick purchaser.
WILLIAM M. CRAIG,
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SHERADEN BOROUGH—Several good properties for sale; several for rent.
JOHN HALL, JR.,
Sheraden Station, Pa.

FOR SALE.

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HAVE YOU $500? IT WILL BUY EQUITY IN A $3,200 HOME. RENTING FOR $36 MONTHLY. MUST BE QUICK OR THE BOGEY MAN WILL GET IT.

GUARDIAN TRUST CO.,
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241 Fourth Ave.

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FOR SALE.

Hump district, Fifth avenue, within four squares of the court house; 3 well located business properties, each having a good frontage; good revenue producers; enhancement in value from prices we can name certain. Send for our new To Let List.

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Lots.

FOUR WEST PITTSBURGH LOTS.

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LOT 62x200.

Most exclusive resident section of the city. Palatial homes surround this property.
C. G. MITCHELL,
Arrott Building. Both Phones.

FOR SALE—Thirteen lots, Lincoln place plan, Mifflin township; price $3,500. Address A. Hill, 24 Bayne ave., Bellevue.

Coal and Timber Lands.

FOR SALE—COAL AND TIMBER LANDS—Thousands of acres of coal and timber in large and small tracts; some rare bargains. Call J. W. Johnston, 412 Lewis block, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Connecticut Farms.

$3,500—90 acres, 10-room house, barns, fruit, water, 3,000 hargalas. Danbury and Bethel, Conn. James J. Brophy, 64 Grand st., Danbury, Conn.

For Sale or Exchange.

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Property of all kinds, farms, residence property, building lots, business property and business opportunities; you cannot go wrong if you have anything to exchange by calling on J. W. Johnston, 412 Lewis Block, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Mortgage Loans.

$2,500 CASH and mortgage $4,000; nine rooms and reception hall; Cypress st., near Oseola.
CHAS. F. RANDOLPH,
810 Arrott Building.

$500,000 to loan, 4½ to 5 per cent; mortgages or collateral; private party. P. O. box 663.

MONEY TO LOAN on mortgages.
HOWARD BROWN & BROS., 429 Fourth ave.

WANTED—$500 on mortgage security; principals only. Address E 62, The Gazette.

MONEY to loan on real estate. Apply J. N. KIDNEY, 434 Fourth ave.

CHEAP MONEY FOR MORTGAGE LOANS.
JOHN K. EWING CO., 248 Fourth ave.

TO LOAN on second mortgages and heirs to estates. Box 1739.

Business Opportunities.

SALOON—Located in a thriving Ohio town of 15,000 population; size of barroom 35x100; 13 large living rooms and bath; located in a modern brick building; rent only $55 per month for entire building; lease for three years, with privilege of 6 years; average daily bar receipts, which can be verified, are $35 per day; sells 25 barrels of beer per month; former owner has made a fortune; this business must be seen to be appreciated; best of reason for selling; terms, $1,500 cash, balance notes. Price $2,800

S. V. THOMPSON CO.,
Third Floor, 200 Times Bldg., 338 Fourth ave.

A GOOD INVESTMENT—One-half interest in an established real estate business, right in the real estate district on Fourth ave; big business in 1905, with much better prospects for this year; a big list for the spring boom; this is a good chance for an ambitious man to engage in business at a reasonable figure; too much work for one man; good office equipment; price only $600. Address Y 61, The Gazette.

SHOE STORE—Very fine location in Wheeling, W. Va.; room 20x70; rent $680 per year; handling a full line of men's, boys' and children's shoes; stock in first-class condition; old age reason for selling; this is a gilt-edge proposition; will sell stock, which invotees $7,000, for quick sale for..... $4,200 cash

S. V. THOMPSON CO.,
Third Floor, 200 Times Bldg., 336 Fourth ave.

BUTTER AND EGG STORE AND MILK ROUTE—Good location in Allegheny; rent only $15 per month; doing a business of $40 to $50 per week in the store and handling 50 gallons of milk per day on the route; combined business clearing above all expenses $125 per month. Price for quick sale only..... $550

S. V. THOMPSON CO.,
Third Floor, 200 Times Bldg., 336 Fourth ave.

CONFECTIONERY AND CIGAR STORE—Best location in nearby city of 50,000 people; selling cigars, candies, popcorn, fruit, etc.; rent $20 per month; this is an old-established business and clears above all expenses $3,000 per year. Price for stock, fixtures and lease $2,100.

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ICE CREAM

and Confectionery Store of 20 years' standing; excellent location; no competition; good opportunity for right party.
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BUTCHER SHOP—Best business in Allegheny; price $900.

GROCERY STORE—In East End, doing a fine business; will invoice $2,000; price $1,700.

PHONOGRAPH BUSINESS—In Allegheny; has a large trade; will sell at invoice, $700.
W. J. BOYD,
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Write for FREE BOOKLET.
UNIVERSAL INCORPORATING CO.,
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STORES, HOTELS, SALOONS, ETC.

QUICKLY SOLD for cash through our agency; real estate exchanged for stocks of merchandise; improved for unimproved real estate, etc.; if you want to make quick deal without publicity, call or write
B. R. FAULKNER & CO., INC'D,
(Business established in 1893.)
1107 Arrott Bldg., Fourth ave. and Wood st.

WANTED—CAPABLE OFFICE MAN TO TAKE POSITION AS SECRETARY WITH ESTABLISHED CORPORATION; PREFERENCE GIVEN MAN ABLE TO INVEST $10,000 IN TREASURY STOCK; BEST OF REFERENCE REQUIRED AND GIVEN. ADDRESS F 58, GAZETTE BRANCH OFFICE, 6126 PENN AVE.

SEND for our price list of North Dakota holdings, which we are closing out at rock bottom prices, to comply with the national banking laws.
FIRST NATIONAL BANK, Mandan, N. D.

BARBER SHOP AND CIGAR STAND—Light and heat; hot and cold water; cheap. 321 Brushton ave.

FOR SALE—Men's furnishing and hat store doing fine business. Location, best in Cleveland, O.; stock in excellent condition; established nearly 10 years. Great opportunity. Box R 47, The Gazette.

WILL buy lease, accounts or collect lease and book accounts; commission basis. For particulars address X 51, The Gazette.

GROCERY and MEAT MARKET—In nearby town; doing business $200 week; rent $18 mo.; price $550. CAVANAGH & CO., 421 Fourth ave.

IF YOU WANT to buy or sell any kind of business, see CAVANAGH & CO., 421 Fourth ave.

FOR SALE.

Horses and Vehicles.

FITZSIMMONS' AUCTION.

200 High-Class Horses 200
AT AUCTION,
Wednesday, April 4,
At 10 O'Clock.

Driving Horses,
Coach Horses,
Draught Horses,
General Purpose Horses.
At 10 O'Clock.

Will sell 100 head used in and around the city.
At 11 O'Clock.

Lem Price, Moundsville, W. Va., 40 head good using Virginia horses.
At 1 O'Clock.

40 head driving and coach horses. One team sorrel coach horses, 6 years old, 15.3 hands high, well mated, sound and broke for lady to drive.

One team seal brown cob horses, 15½ hands high, well mated, sound and broke to all objects.

One team seal brown cob ponies, 12½ hands high, high actors; can trot a 4-minute clip, well mated and broke for children to drive.

Handsome bay cob horse, 16 hands high, high actor, fearless of all objects.

Black Shetland pony, well broke.

Grey hearse team, weighing 2,600, well broke, sound and 6 years old.

3 O'Clock.

T. H. Beaver, Perrysville, O., 20 head of those good draught horses, including several mated teams.

4 O'Clock.

D. B. Lee, Carroll County, 20 general purpose horses.

5 O'Clock.

A stable outfit, platform trap, Eastern make; one Stanhope buggy, one 3-4 full leather top buggy, one runabout, one gentleman's speed wagon and harness.

A Place for Buyers—A Place for Sellers.

Do not forget the place and date.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 4.
OWEN FITZSIMMONS,
406-412 Duquesne Way.

Books now open for Catalogue Sale, May 9, 10, 11 and 12. The time and place to buy and sell.

Consign early and get benefit of all advertisements.

$90—Doctor will sell handsome fast trotting and perfectly reliable family horse, Baron Standard bred, 15¾ hands, age 8 years. Bay in color, weight 1,100 lbs., long tail, completely built, smooth round turned animal, fine, clean limbs, sound, solid feet and attractive appearance, showed private trial on Belmont track last summer to speed wagon in 2:15. Was never in any race so has no official record. A very valuable animal for track, speedway or general family use. Guaranteed sound, gentle and reliable under all circumstances, and for a perfect family horse has no superior. Safe for ladies or most timid person to drive at speed and trot full mile over 2:20 or no sale, allow 20 days' trial to test soundness and driving qualities to purchaser's own satisfaction. Also $80 will buy a large pair coach mares, bays in color 6 and 7 years, perfectly sound, weight about 1,200 lbs. apiece, would make elegant pair of farm mares as they have been used to all kinds of farm work. I have used them this past year with a great deal of satisfaction, will sell separate for $45 each; also farm harness and stable utensils will be given with the horses as I have no further use for them. Also at half value Brewster & Co. rubber tired brougham, handsome rubber tired Cutunder, fashionable rubber tired runabout, elegant harness all equal to new, sell separately at any reasonable offer, my only reason for selling is because I am getting an automobile. Positively no horse dealers need apply. Call Charles W. Meyers, 1617 Master street, Philadelphia, Pa.

FOR SALE—1 private well-bred driving and saddle horse, color black; 1 private driving horse, chestnut brown, well bred; also 1 Rockaway, interior finished in mahogany and leather upholstering; 1 set of double and single harness. Will sell all or separately at a very low figure. Inquire 903 Arrott bldg.; Bell 'phone 1257 Court. P. and A. 2745 Main.

HORSES FOR SALE—30 head of acclimated horses; two big stallions on farm; one mile from Freeport, Pa. Grant Shuster.

Machinery.

FEED WATER HEATERS.

1000 H. P. Wickes, open type.
800 H. P. Wainwright, brass tubes.
600 H. P. National, copper coil.
500 H. P. Webster, copper pans.
400 H. P. American, copper coils.
400 H. P. Excelsior, open type.
200 H. P. Berryman, copper coil.
125 H. P. American, copper coil.
100 H. P. Pittsburgh, open type.
50 H. P. Brass tubes.
25 H. P. Webster, brass coil.
Also Boilers, Engines, Pumps, etc.
WICKES BROS.,
Both 'Phones. 45th St. and A. V. R. R.

SECOND-hand pumps and hose connections, Van Nio centrifugal pumps, horizontal and vertical; belt and engine driven duplex pumps.
THOS. CARLIN'S SONS CO.,
1600 River Ave., Allegheny.

FOR SALE—Boilers and engines, all sizes, from 3 to 125 H. P., stationary and portable upright boilers and engines; large assortment kept in stock; shafting, pulleys and hangers and large lot miscellaneous machinery, second-hand belting, leather and rubber; large stock of all sizes at low prices; machinery of all kinds bought and exchanged.
JOHN S. YOUNG,
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Brownell Steam Engines and Boilers.
Warren Gas and Gasoline Engines.
Fairbanks-Morse Gas and Gasoline Engines.
Fairbanks-Morse Dynamos and Motors.
Fairbanks-Morse Steam Pumps.
Brooks Centrifugal Pumps.
Cold Rolled Steel Shafting, Hangers, etc.
TRANTER MANUFACTURING CO.,
165 Water st.

FOR SALE—All kinds second-hand machinery and boilers, rails and contractors' equipment; wanted, scrap iron in any quantity.
HIRSCH & PFLAMM,
South ave. and Walker st., Allegheny.
Bell 'Phone 1478 Cedar.

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We will move April 1 to 114 Market st., with Howe Scale Co. Telephone Court 424.
FOOS GAS ENGINE COMPANY,
128 First ave.

GAS ENGINE. GASOLINE.
Marine and Stationary. Any type.
THE FAIRBANKS COMPANY, 316 3d ave.

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LARGEST stock of miscellaneous machines in city; rentals $2 up. PHILADELPHIA TYPEWRITER & SUPPLY CO., 323 and 4 Lewis building.

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A KNABE concert grand piano, fine walnut bedroom suit and sideboard. 1232 Sheffield st., Allegheny.

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SPECIAL ATTENTION TO SEWING MACHINE REPAIRING BY FIRST-CLASS WORKMEN; GENUINE NEEDLES; attachments and parts for ALL MAKES; LOWEST PRICES; all work GUARANTEED.

CARTER SEWING MACHINE CO.,
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181 SIXTH ST., NEXT BIJOU THEATER.

Safes.

MOVING—Safes almost given away. W. Preger, 5 Market st.

WANTED.

Household Effects.

FOR SALE, cheap, furniture of 4 rooms; must be sold at once. 6311 Everett st.

Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE—Supreme court reports, county court reports, American encyclopedia and other little works; also one complete set of International encyclopaedia; a bargain if sold quick. Address L. T. Holden, 506 Diamond st., second floor.

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Protect your home with good paint put on by a trustworthy painter.
711 Forbes st., Both telephones.
P. J. BRYNE, 634 Fifth ave.

FOR SALE—Fine dress suit; cost $125; good as new; reason for selling, owner has "grown fat." If you are interested address N 45, The Gazette.

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For sale, Burroughs make; new; cheap. 719 Bessemer bldg.

A 30 and 60-drawer Amberg file case; sell one or both reasonably; excellent condition. Address W 61, The Gazette.

FOR SALE—Pure Louisiana cane syrup, 60 cents per gallon. Apply to F. M. Brewer, Crystal Springs, Miss.

FOR SALE—Fancy second-hand garments; ladies' and gents' (private house). J. Wald, 1841 Webster ave., Pittsburgh.

SLOT MACHINES of all descriptions bought, sold, repaired or exchanged. Fisher, 424 Second ave., fourth floor.

FOR SALE—Fine large coal range, cost $45. Will sell for $15. Inquire 1103 Jane st., Wilkinsburg.

BAR fixtures, billiard tables; easiest terms. DELP'S, Fourth and Liberty.

LOT of second-hand building brick. John Eichleay, Jr. Co., South Twentieth and Wharton sts.

WE sell and buy everything. Delp's, 2219 Fifth ave.

ROLL TOP DESK—For Sale—Inquire Machesney building, Fourth avenue.

ROLL-TOP DESK, rug, one swivel and three straight chairs. Telephone 1159 Court.

LOST.

LOST—On Monday night between Liberty ave. and Market st., on Fifth ave., lady's gold watch and black silk fob with plain charm; Hampden movement, closed case. Liberal reward for return. Address K 40, The Gazette.

LOST—Lady's black handbag; left in Wabash station at 3:30 Monday afternoon. Liberal reward if returned to 252 Renova st., city, or address Miss Lucy Stanton, general delivery, Pittsburgh.

LOST—Last Tuesday, on Wood st., between Oliver and Fourth aves., gold belt pin; reward. Hardy & Hayes Co.

LOST—Gold purse, large size, in parquet, last Saturday's performance. Please return to Nixon theater.

DANCING ACADEMIES.

M'DOUGALL, Craig and Forbes, Pittsburgh; 27 Federal st., Allegheny. Every afternoon and evening; 10 lessons, $3; six private, $5; society, stage, clog, buck and wing and fancy dancing, $5 and $10 a dance.

SPECIAL.

DR. McGIFFIN, DENTIST, 1112 Federal st., Allegheny; 25 years' practical experience.

LEGAL NOTICES.

ARTHUR E. YOUNG, ESQ., Attorney-at-Law, 1502 Park bldg. Amendment and change of name—Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the court of common pleas No. 1 of Allegheny county, on the 21st day of April, 1906, at 9:30 o'clock a. m., for the approval and granting of certain amendments to the Charter of the Duquesne Kennel club of Pittsburgh, and for a change of the name of said club to Duquesne Kennel club of Western Pennsylvania, as set forth in the petition therefor, filed in said court at No. 118 June term, 1906, agreeably to the provisions of the general corporation act of 1874 and its supplements. Arthur E. Young, counsel.

JOSEPH R. M'QUAIDE, Attorney-at-Law, No. 413 Fourth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Mrs. H. K. Klingensmith, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. H. K. Klingensmith, administrator, No. 3597 Penn ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.

W. B. RODGERS, Attorney-at-Law, No. 424 Frick building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Per Brynn, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. The Colonial Trust Company, administrator, Nos. 317 Fourth ave., and 314 to 318 Diamond st., Pittsburgh, Pa.

J. J. KINTNER, Attorney-at-Law, McDonald, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Marcus J. Souleret, deceased, late of South Fayette township, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Chas. Souleret, administrator, McDonald, Pa.

LOWREY & GRIERSON, Attorneys-at-Law, No. 510 Fourth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Henry Hughes, deceased, late of North Braddock, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Lydia Hughes, administratrix, Braddock, Allegheny county, Pa.

ALFRED M. LEE, Attorney-at-Law, 21 St. Nicholas building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Ludwig Sunder, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Catherine Sunder, executrix, Fortieth ward, Pittsburgh, Pa.

E. E. FULMER, Attorney-at-Law, No. 412 Fourth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of George S. Fulmer, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Elmer E. Fulmer, executor, No. 418 Fourth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa.

A. B. ANGNEY, Attorney-at-Law, No. 503 Fifth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of John A. Bruck, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Frederick W. Bruck, administrator, care F. L. Falck, Spring Garden avenue, Allegheny, Pa.

SPRINGER H. MOORE, Attorney-at-Law, 1228 Frick building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Milton L. Painter, deceased, late of Pen Avon borough, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Howard M. Waybright, administrator, 831 Forest street, Avalon, Pa.

T. MERCER MORTON, Attorney-at-Law, rooms 119-120 Bakewell building, Pittsburgh, Pa. State of Pennsylvania, County of Allegheny, ss. In the court of common pleas No. 1, No. 539 December term, 1905. George H. Hunt vs. Bertha M. Hunt. Libel in divorce a vinculo matrimonii. To Bertha M. Hunt, respondent. The subpoena in the above case having been returned non est inventus, you are hereby notified and required to appear in said court of common pleas No. 1, on the first Monday of June, A. D. 1906, to answer the petition and libel filed in said case. James W. Dickson, sheriff.

KENNEDY, SMITH & M'VICAR, Attorneys-at-Law, No. 819 Frick building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Kate Uetz, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. John J. Uetz, administrator, No. 3745 Boquet st., Pittsburgh, Pa.

A. H. & H. H. ROWAND, Attorneys-at-Law, 432 Fifth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Mary M. Friesel, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. John W. Friesel, administrator, 841 Herron avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa.

ROBB & MILLER, Attorneys-at-Law, 16 St. Nicholas building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Edward F. McKenna, deceased, late of Carnegie, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Mary A. McKenna, administratrix, 522 Logan street, Carnegie, Pa.

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE OF RECEIVER'S SALE OF TITUSVILLE ELECTRIC LIGHT PLANT.

Notice is hereby given that the receiver of the

TITUSVILLE ELECTRIC LIGHT AND POWER COMPANY,

in pursuance of an order of the United States Circuit Court for the western district of Pennsylvania, authorizing the same, will, on

TUESDAY, MAY 1, 1906,

at

2 O'CLOCK P. M.,

expose at

PUBLIC SALE,

at the

COURT HOUSE IN THE CITY OF MEADVILLE,

in the county of Crawford, and sell, free from liens and encumbrances, to the highest bidder, the following described property:

First—That certain lot of ground situate in the

THIRD WARD OF THE CITY OF TITUSVILLE,

in the county of Crawford, and state of Pennsylvania, at the southeast corner of

WASHINGTON ST. AND MECHANIC ST.,

having a frontage of forty (40) feet on Mechanic st., and extending along Washington st., in a southerly direction, preserving the same width, a distance of ninety (90) feet, and being part of lot number sixty-eight (68) in John Moore's addition to the City of Titusville.

Second—That certain lot of ground situate in the

THIRD WARD OF THE CITY OF TITUSVILLE,

in the county of Crawford, and state of Pennsylvania, at the southwest corner of

MECHANIC STREET AND WASHINGTON STREET,

having a frontage of sixty (60) feet on Mechanic st., and extending in a southerly direction, preserving the same width, one hundred and eighty-seven and one-half (187½) feet, and being known as lot number seventy-four (74) in E. H. Chase's addition to the City of Titusville, under and subject to the right of way of the Western New York and Pennsylvania Railroad over and across the southern end thereof, upon which its switch is now located; and having erected thereon a brick building adjoining said switch, fifty-nine (59) feet in width by seventy (70) feet in length, and having installed therein engines, boilers, pumps, condensers, dynamos, switchboard, electric apparatus, machinery, fixtures, tools, devices and appliances; and also all the poles, wires, fuel, supplies, material and property on hand, used in connection therewith, and known as the

TITUSVILLE ELECTRIC LIGHT PLANT,

or works, and generally all the property, rights, privileges and franchises thereunto belonging, or in anywise appertaining for the maintenance, repair and use of the said electric light plant, or in the business of said company.

The sale will be made subject to the approval of the court, and the two pieces of real estate above described will be offered separately and as a whole.

Information with respect to the terms and conditions of the sale, and in relation to the property offered, will be furnished on application to the undersigned.

CHARLES H. M'KEE, Receiver,
1016 Park Bldg.,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

FRANK P. SPROUL, Attorney-at-Law, No. 1265 Frick Annex, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that ancillary letters testamentary on the estate of Katharina Marx, deceased, late of Ashtabula, Ashtabula county, O., have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. William E. Marx, ancillary executor, Dorset, Ashtabula county, O.

C. C. LEE, Attorney-at-Law, St. Nicholas building. Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Charles Schuck, deceased, late of Allegheny City, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Jane McLachlin, executrix, Twenty-third and Mulberry alley, Pittsburgh, Pa.

WALLACE & WATSON, Attorneys-at-Law, No. 908 Frick building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Samuel W. B. Moorhead, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Katherine Aiken Moorhead, executrix, No. 616 St. James st., Pittsburgh, Pa.

THOMSON & THOMSON, Attorneys-at-Law, No. 512 Bakewell building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Warren M. Johnson, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Priscilla J. Johnson, administratrix, No. 5824 Rural st., Pittsburgh, Pa.

JOHN E. KUHN, Attorney-at-Law, No. 426 Diamond st., Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Mary J. Bepler, deceased, late of the city of Allegheny, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Charles H. Bepler, Jennie V. Sutmeyer, administrators, 207 South Diamond st., Allegheny, Pa.

SAMUEL S. DILLE, Attorney-at-Law, No. 332 Fourth ave., Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Fredericka Weber, deceased, late of Allegheny City, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Guarantee Title and Trust Company, executor, No. 332 Fourth ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.

JAMES M'LAREN, Attorney-at-Law, No. 426 Diamond street, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of William McEachlin, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Jane McLachlin, administratrix, Twenty-third and Mulberry alley, Pittsburgh, Pa.

ALFRED M. LEE, Attorney-at-Law, No. 21 St. Nicholas building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Mary A. Schaun, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Robert Miller, administrator, building inspection office, Allegheny, Pa.

W. W. STONER, Attorney-at-Law, 324 Bakewell building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Hugh D. McConnell, deceased, late of Allegheny City, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Robert Miller, administrator, building inspection office, Allegheny, Pa.

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NOTICE is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Ishael Fineberg, deceased, late of Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Sarah Fineberg, administratrix, 1544 Wylie avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa.

JOSEPH MAYHUGH, Attorney-at-Law, No. 434 Diamond street, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of George Shoaf, deceased, late of Braddock, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Anna Allen, Joseph Allen, executors. Rankin, Allegheny county, Pa.

LEGAL NOTICES.

RECEIVER'S SALE.

The Undersigned Receiver of the KITTANNING & COWANSHANNOCK VALLEY STREET RAILWAY COMPANY,

A corporation under the laws of the state of Pennsylvania, duly appointed by the circuit court of the United States for the Western district of Pennsylvania, at No. 3 May term, 1906, in equity, will on

THURSDAY, APRIL 5, 1906,

AT THE COURT HOUSE, PITTSBURGH, PA., Sell at public vendure or outcry, all the rights and franchises of the said

KITTANNING & COWANSHANNOCK VALLEY STREET RAILWAY COMPANY.

Said corporation was chartered December 18, 1901, duly recorded in Armstrong county, Pa., for railway (electric or otherwise) from Kittanning, Armstrong county, Pa., thence eastwardly through Greendale, Yatesboro and Rural Valley to Meredith, twelve (12) miles, a direct line; seven (7) miles stone work and culverts completed, also pratically six (6) miles grading, including immense horse shoe curve; capital stock, $15,000; about $40,000 rights of way deeds recorded in Armstrong county, probably twelve (12) rights of way yet needed, will cost not over $5,000; rights granted by ordinance of boroughs of Kittanning and Rural Valley, and franchises granted by supervisors of Cowanshannock and Valley townships.

TERMS—CASH ON APPROVAL OF SALE, 10 PER CENT PAYABLE AT TIME OF SALE.

WALTER MORRIS, Receiver,
216 Fourth ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.
L. C. BARTON, Attorney,
Suite 462 Frick Bldg. annex, Pittsburgh, Pa.
A. A. ROSS, Auctioneer,
216 Fourth ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.

DIVIDENDS.

GUARANTEE TITLE & TRUST COMPANY,
342 Fourth ave.,
PITTSBURGH, Pa., March 28th, 1906.

THIS company has this day declared the regular quarterly dividend of ONE AND ONE-HALF (1½%) PER CENT upon the capital stock, payable April 2d, 1906, to stockholders of record at the close of business March 31st, 1906. Checks will be mailed.

FRANK L. PHILLIPS,
Vice-president and Treasurer.

The First National Bank of Pittsburgh,
Pittsburgh, Pa., March 27, 1906.

DIVIDEND—The directors of this bank have this day declared the regular quarterly dividend of FOUR (4) PER CENT on its capital stock out of the earnings of the current quarter, payable April 1, 1906. Checks will be mailed to stockholders of record March 31, 1906.

F. H. RICHARD, Cashier.

Farmers Deposit National Bank,
Pittsburgh, March 31, 1906.

QUARTERLY DIVIDEND—The directors of this bank have this day declared a dividend of EIGHT (8) PER CENT out of the earnings of the past three months, payable forthwith, free of tax. Checks will be mailed.

J. W. FLEMING, Cashier.

Metropolitan National Bank,
Pittsburgh, Pa., March 29, 1906.

DIVIDEND NO. 68—At a meeting of the board of directors held this day a quarterly dividend of TWO (2) PER CENT was declared on the capital stock out of the earnings of the past three months, payable free of tax, on April 2, 1906. Checks will be mailed.

GEO. SEEBICK, Cashier.

The National Bank of Western Pennsylvania,
Penn ave. and Ninth st.,
Pittsburgh, Pa., March 30, 1906.

DIVIDEND—The board of directors of this bank have declared a dividend of 2 PER CENT out of earnings of the last three months, on stock as registered on the books at the close of business March 31, 1906. Checks will be mailed.

GEORGE S. MACRUM, Cashier.

German Savings & Deposit Bank,
Carson and South Fourteenth sts.,
Pittsburgh, Pa., March 31, 1906.

QUARTERLY DIVIDEND—The directors of this bank have this day declared a dividend of FIVE (5) PER CENT out of the earnings of the last three months, payable April 2, 1906, free of tax.

J. F. ERNY, Cashier.

The Lincoln National Bank,
Pittsburgh, Pa., March 28, 1906.

QUARTERLY DIVIDEND—The board of directors of this bank have this day declared the regular quarterly dividend of two (2) per cent and an extra dividend of one-half of one (½ of 1) per cent on the capital stock out of the earnings of the last three months. Payable April 2d. Checks will be mailed.

W. R. CHRISTIAN, Cashier.

THE UNITED STATES NATIONAL BANK OF PITTSBURGH,
Pittsburgh, Pa., March 28, 1906.

THE board of directors of this bank has declared a regular quarterly dividend of one and one-half per cent (1½) per cent on its capital stock out of earnings, payable to shareholders of record at the close of business March 31, 1906. Checks will be mailed.

C. F. SHAEFER, Cashier.

Cable Consolidated Mining Company,
Pittsburgh, Pa., April 2, 1906.

DIVIDEND—The board of directors of this company has this day declared a dividend of one (1) per cent on the capital stock, payable April 21, 1906. The transfer books will be closed from April 10 to April 21, 1906, both inclusive. Checks will be mailed to stockholders.

STANSBURY SUTTON,
Treasurer.

Columbia National Bank,
Pittsburgh, Pa., March 28, 1906.

DIVIDEND—The board of directors

N. Y. STOCKS BUOYANT, CLOSING AT THE TOP

Ten Per Cent Call Loan Rates Did Not Check the Rise—Industrial Shares Stronger in the Pittsburgh Market.

By JOHN O. BAGLIN, Financial Editor.

The New York stock market yesterday was more active and buoyant than for weeks. Its action seemed to prove that the fear of a coal strike was a greater restriction upon speculation and investment than had been supposed. Aside from the signing of the bituminous scale by several large producers and the promising outlook for a continuation of operations in this district there was very little news to influence the course of the market.

The buoyancy was not confined to stocks, but was participated in by bonds, transactions in the latter being more than double the recent daily average. The sales of stocks reached 1,182,600 shares, and prices closed at or near the highest.

The upward movement was not checked by the rise in call loan rates, which reached 10 per cent, the highest for more than a month, and averaged above 6 per cent throughout the day. So far as money is concerned, however, there is a strong feeling that the stringency will not last longer than a few days at most. New York banks yesterday began the disbursement of about $40,000,000 for interest and dividends, and it is estimated that interior markets will take care of about $25,000,000 more for the same account. When these settlements are completed the general money market is almost certain to relax, and there is an increasing probability of gold imports with an improvement in the foreign political and financial situation.

Initial quotations were almost invariably higher than the close on Saturday, and in some instances the gains were quite important. London was a purchaser at the opening, but the rise was so rapid as to carry the market above the foreign buying limits. The coal stocks first displayed the relief over the peaceable settlement of the labor dispute in the bituminous field, and although it is not so certain that as speedy a settlement will be reached in the anthracite field, the anthracite coal-carriers were also strong, notably Reading. Following the lead of the coalers the Steel stocks became strong, and without much interruption advanced throughout the day. United States Steel common advanced to and closed at 43¾, a net gain of 1¾ per cent. The preferred closed at 108⅝, which was also the top price of the day and a gain of 1⅝ per cent over Saturday. Amalgamated Copper was one of the leaders in the movement and closed at a net gain of 2¾ per cent.

Perhaps one of the most influential factors in encouraging outside business was the response made by Pennsylvania and Baltimore & Ohio to the improvement in sentiment. Baltimore & Ohio was one of the strongest stocks on the list during the closing half hour and rose to 115, closing at 114⅞, a net gain of 3 per cent for the day. Pennsylvania advanced to and closed at 140¾, a gain of 1⅝ per cent. These two stocks have for a long time lagged behind the rest of the market and their comparative heaviness in the face of unprecedentedly favorable earnings was inexplicable.

Union Pacific still retained its position as one of the prominent leaders and closed 1⅝ higher than on Saturday. Southern Pacific closed ⅝ higher and the other grangers were fractionally higher.

The only exception to the general course of the market was Consolidated Gas. This stock rallied to 145 shortly after the opening, broke to 140¾, recovered fractionally and again broke to 139⅜, a new low point on the movement. It closed at 141, a loss for the day of 2½ per cent.

The local stock market sympathized with the strength displayed in Wall street and there was more doing in the regular industrial list than for some time past. While mining stocks still contributed the bulk of the business, they did not dominate the market to the same extent as formerly. Pittsburgh Coal common rallied to 17½ and the preferred to 61½ and both closed near the best. Pittsburgh Plate Glass rallied 3½ per cent to 117 and closed firm. United States Steel common was more active than for several weeks and closed with a net gain of 2 per cent. Crucible Steel common rallied to 15 and the preferred to 79¾ and both closed firm. There were no transactions in any of the Westinghouse stocks, but Electric was firmer, advancing to 80 bid. National Fire Proofing preferred rallied to 26, but there was no trading in the common, which closed offered at 7½. Cable Consolidated ranged between 82c and 85c, closing at the latter price. Ohio Tonopah sold to the extent of 3,500 shares at 45c to 46c and rallied to 48c bid at the close. Tonopah Extension declined to 10⅞ and United Copper to 67½. Pittsburgh Plate Glass warrants closed 1 point higher at 14.

PITTSBURGH STOCKS.

Sales on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday were as follows:

10:00 A. M. to 10:30 A. M.

5	Crucible pfd.	79	
1	do	79	
10	do	79	
10	do	79	
100	do	79	
10	do	79	
25	do	79	
20	Con. Ice com.	8	
20	P. Brw. pfd.	49¾	
50	P. Coal com.	17¾	
82	Mfrs. L. & H.	21¾	
200	Ohio Tonopah	46	
100	do	46	
1-5	P. P. Gl. wts.	13	
10	Crucible pfd.	79	
50	P. Coal pfd.	61	
2	do	14¼	

10:30 A. M. to 11:00 A. M.

15	P. Coal com.	17¼	
100	do	17⅜	
100	Crucible com.	14⅝	
10	do	15	
25	Crucible pfd.	79	
10	Crucible pfd.	79	
50	P. Coal pfd.	61	
50	do	79¼	
100	Con. Gas pfd.	36½	
10	P. Coal pfd.	61	
5	do	61	
25	do	61	
5	do	61	
5	Mfrs. L. & H.	21¼	
24	do	21¾	
20	U. S. Stl. pfd.	107⅜	
7	do	107⅝	
100	do	108	
200	do	108	
50	P. Brew. com.	28¾	
10	do	28¾	
10	Tonopah Ext.	10⅞	
100	do	10⅞	
10	F. Proof pfd.	25⅜	
100	Un. Trac. pfd.	49¾	

11:00 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.

90	Crucible com.	15	
10	do	15	
10	do	15	
25	do	15	
20	Rock Isl. pfd.	68⅝	
500	Cable Consol.	82	
100	do	82	
200	do	82	
150	do	82	
100	do	83	
400	do	83	
100	do	83	
15	United Cop.	67½	
30	Crucible pfd.	79½	
50	do	79	
75	do	79	
1000	Ohio Tonopah	46	
510	U. S. Stl. com.	42½	
25	do	42⅛	
100	U. S. Stl. com.	42¾	
50	Crucible com.	15	
100	do	14⅝	
25	do	14⅞	
50	Sewer Pipe	34½	
100	do	32½	
1000	Ohio Tonopah	45	
500	do	45	
100	do	45	
100	do	45	

12:30 P. M. to 2:00 P. M.

200	Ohio Tonopah	45	
200	do	46	
50	United Cop.	68	
5	Mfrs. L. & H.	21¼	
5	U. S. Stl. pfd.	108¼	
$3000	Sew. Pipe 6s.	*101⅝	
21	Exch. N. B.	82	
1-5	P. P. Gl. wts.	14	
3-5	do	14	
1-5	do	14	

2:00 P. M. to 2:30 P. M.

$1000	Sew. Pipe 6s.	*101¾	
5	Crucible pfd.	79	
30	Ohio Fuel	39½	
100	P. Coal pfd.	61	
40	P. Coal pfd.	61	
23	P. Plate Gl.	116½	
100	Sewer Pipe	34½	
10	Mfrs. L. & H.	31	

2:30 P. M. to 3:00 P. M.

100	P. Plate Gl.	117	
10	Crucible pfd.	79	
1	do	79¼	
10	do	79	
50	Cable Consol.	83	
500	do	83	
200	do	84	
200	do	85	
100	do	86	
500	do	85	
200	do	86	
300	do	85	
100	Crucible com.	15	
5	P. Coal pfd.	61½	
50	do	61½	
50	do	61½	
50	do	61⅝	
100	Ohio Tonopah	46	
40	F. Proof pfd.	25¾	
50	do	26	
25	do	26	
1-5	P. Plate Gl.	14	

*And interest.

Summary.

STOCKS	High	Low	Last Sale	Change
Sales.				
3850	Cable Consol.	85	82	85	0
200	Con. Ice com.				
100	Con. Gas pfd.	36½	36⅛	36½	+ ⅜
526	Crucible Steel	15	14⅞	15	+ ⅝
437	Do preferred	79½	79¼	79	— ⅛
135	Fire Proof pfd.	26	25⅞	26	+ ⅛
54	Ind. Brew. pfd.	41½	41½	41½	0
76	Mfrs. L. & H.	31¼	31	31	0
30	Ohio Fuel	35½	35½	35⅝	0
3000	Ohio Tonopah	46	45	46	+ .01
100	Pittsb'gh Brewing	28⅞	28¾	28⅞	+ ⅛
20	Do preferred	49¾	49¾	49¾	+ ¼
165	Pittsburgh Coal	17⅛	17	17⅛	+2½
250	Do preferred	61¾	61	61⅝	+ ⅛
123	Pgh. Plate Glass	117	116½	117	+ 3½
20	Rock Island pfd.	68⅝	68⅝	68⅝	
250	Sewer Pipe	34½	34½	34½	+ ⅛
110	Tonopah Extension	11	10⅝	10⅞	— ⅛
600	United Copper	68	67½	68	— ½
835	U. S. Steel	42¾	42⅜	42¾	+1⅜
322	Do preferred	*108⅝	*107⅝	*108⅝	— ¼
100	United Trac. pfd.	49¾	49¾	49¾	— ¼
	BANKS.				
21	Exchange N. B.	83	83	83	—1½
11493					
	BONDS.				
$7000	Sewer Pipe 6s.	*101⅝	*101⅝	*101⅜	+ ⅛
	WARRANTS.				
27	8-5 Pgh. Plate Glass.	14¼	13⅜	14	+1

*Less than 10 shares. †And interest.

Closing Bids and Offers.

BONDS.	Par.	Bid.	Ask.
Pittsburgh Stock Exchange	....	....	$100
Pittsburgh Banks—			
Duquesne National	100	....	285
Exchange National	50	85	....
Iron City Trust	100	120	....
Marine National	100	....	150
Merchants Savings and Trust	50	....	50
Traders and Mechanics	50	50	....
Allegheny Banks—			
Allegheny Trust	100	....	150
Insurance—			
Allemannia Insurance	50	80	....
Miscellaneous—			
American Sewer Pipe	100	34½	34¾
Cable Consolidated	1	84	85
Consolidated Gas pfd.	50	37	....
Consolidated Ice	50	....	8½
Do preferred	50	....	40
Crucible Steel	100	15	15¼
Do preferred	100	78¾	79
Harbison-Walker Co.	100	10½	11¾
Independent Brewing	50	13¼	....
Do preferred	50	41½	41⅝
Manufacturers Light & Heat	50	31	31¼
Marsden	100	2½	....
Monongahela River Coal	50	....	40
Do preferred	50	23½	....
Monongahela Water	25	37½	....
National Fire Proofing	50	....	7½
Do preferred	50	25	26
Ohio Fuel Supply	25	....	35½
Ohio Tonopah Mining	1	48	.49
Pittsburgh Oil and Gas	100	45	....
Peoples Pipage	25	....	26½
*Philadelphia Company	50	....	51
Pittsburgh Brewing	50	28¾	29
Do preferred	50	49¾	50
Pittsburgh Coal	100	17	17½
Do preferred	100	61¾	61½
Pittsburgh Plate Glass	100	116½	117
Tonopah Extension Mining	1	10½	11
United Copper	100	68¼	68½
United Plate Glass	100	59½	....
United States Steel	100	43	....
Do preferred	100	....	108¾
Westinghouse Electric	50	80	....
West Penn Rys.	100	....	35½
Do preferred	100	....	77
BONDS.			
Ind. Brewing 6s	....	106½	....
Pgh., McK. & Conn. 1st 5s	....	104¾	105
Pittsburgh Brewing 6s	....	....	115
*West Penn Rys. 5s	....	....	99

*Ex-int. or ex-div.

Unlisted Securities.

(Reported by Geo. W. MacMullen & Co.)

	Bid.	Ask.
Kansas Natural Gas	50	....
Union Natural Gas	....	....
Fayette County Gas	96	....
Pure Oil	7¼	7½
Dominion Gas	60	70½
Rock Run Fuel Gas	....	45
Window Glass Machine com.	....	6
Window Glass Machine pref.	....	15
Nat. Union Fire Ins.	160	....
Penna. Fuel	....	80
Tonopah Home	....	20
Stewart Creek Mining Co.	....	62
Red Rock Mining Co.	65	66
Golden Anchor Mining Co.	1.25	1.30
Coast Range Mining Co.	....	45
Black Hills Copper	.37	.39
Mingus Mt. Mining Co.	.23	.26
Big O'Tapon	.50	.65
Luster Mining Co.	.09	.10
BONDS.		
*Pittsburgh Oil & Gas 6s	....	95
*Union Steels 5s	99½	100
Ohio Valley Water	....	98½
SALES.		
1750 shares Black Hills Copper		.38
500 shares Black Hills Copper		.37
400 shares Black Hills Copper		.39
2500 shares Mingus Mt. Mining Co.		.25
100 shares Red Rock		.66

*And interest.

NOTES AND COMMENT.

At the close of the stock market yesterday Wall street sentiment was more cheerful than it had been for a month. The anthracite conference is scheduled to meet today, and the street is rather sanguine in looking for a settlement that will avert a strike. Even the money market was easier than expected, the call loan rate being held at about the 6 per cent level from the opening except for a late flurry to 10 per cent when the day's borrowing was mostly completed. The comparatively good condition as to money was the result of the heavy disbursements of dividends and interest paid by the banks and the payment of some $2,000,000 of government interest. The arrival on Saturday of $1,150,000 of gold from Germany had its effect on the available reserve on the banks. Opinion was not entirely clear as to how far the expected relaxation in the money market may be expected to go. Time loans were quoted at 5 per cent for all dates. Discounts were marked down at London, Paris and Berlin, and foreign exchange yielded in New York but the price of gold advanced in London and sterling exchange declined at Paris. The forthcoming Russian loan came in for actively revived discussion and the expected date of issue was placed at about the middle of the month and the probable amount at $250,000,000.

The dissolution last week of the Pennsylvania convertible bond syndicate formed to underwrite the $100,000,000 issue a year ago was reported to have resulted in the distribution of 49 per cent of the issue unsold to its members. The liquidation of these bonds in evidence yesterday was conceded to be a consequence of the dissolution of the syndicate. The day's sales included $165,000 of the convertibles at 101 to 101½, and $1,253,000 of the 3½s of 1915 at prices ranging from 96⅞ to 99⅜.

Compilations of new capital issues made in March showed a total of less than $100,000,000 compared with $277,500,000 in February and $122,114,000 in January. This decided shrinkage is the natural response to the torpid state into which the bond market has fallen as a result of the large previous additions to the supplies offering. In the same connection several offerings made within the last few days by railroad companies of note issues with authorized bonds as collateral are attracting attention. This was a device resorted to by the railroads on a large scale during the last previous period when bond issues became unsalable.

Pittsburgh Plate Glass rallied 3 per cent and the warrants advanced 31 yesterday. The first installment of 5 per cent on payment of subscriptions to the new stock was made yesterday. A considerable amount of the subscriptions were paid in full, and there was such a rush for transfers that some delay will occur in issuing the new certificates.

The strength of Consolidated Gas of Pittsburgh is attracting considerable attention. Last week the stock advanced from 30 to 36 and yesterday sold at 36½. Two months ago there was practically no market for it at 25. There is no explanation for the present rise. The decline earlier in the year was due to the fear of a further reduction in the dividend. The street surmises that there may be a revival of an old deal to retire this preferred stock by an issue of bonds. A proposition of this kind was brought under consideration about two years ago, but some of the largest holders of the stock were not favorable to it. Since the United Railways Investment Company has acquired control of the Philadelphia Company system it is thought that it may revive the old plan for converting the stock into a 4 per cent bond. The fact that an underlying mortgage on the local system should sell at so heavy a discount might call for too many explanations in case the new control sought to issue additional junior securities.

The Farmers Deposit National Bank yesterday paid a regular quarterly dividend of 8 per cent. This is an increase of 2 per cent quarterly over the former rate, or an increase of 8 per cent per year in the regular rate. The bank inaugurated the local custom of paying an extra Christmas dividend some years ago, and last Christmas the extra was 12 per cent, making total dividends paid in 1905 of 36 per cent. It begins the year 1906 with increasing the regular dividend to the rate of 32 per cent per annum, with the prospect of the Christmas dividend for 1906 being at least as large as that paid last year.

The Standard Underground Cable Company has declared the usual quarterly dividend of 3 per cent, payable April 10 to stock of record April 5.

The National Bank of Western Pennsylvania has declared a quarterly dividend of 2 per cent, an increase at the rate of 2 per cent per annum, the former rate having been 3 per cent semi-annual.

Directors of Cable Consolidated yesterday declared an initial dividend of 1 per cent, payable April 21 to stock of record April 10. The period covered by the dividend was not stated.

Among members of the Pittsburgh stock exchange who moved into new quarters yesterday were Morris Brown & Co., whose new offices are on the first floor of the new Machesney building, adjoining the stock exchange. H. A. Marlin took the rooms vacated by the first named firm in the Hostetter building. M. K. McMullin & Co. took the offices in the Germania Bank building vacated by Robinson & Orr, who moved to the third floor into the old chamber of commerce room.

The First National Bank of Pittsburgh has been appointed registrar and transfer agent of the stock of the Mingus Mountain Mining Co.

The regular quarterly dividends of 1 per cent on the common and 2 per cent on the preferred stock of Tennessee Coal & Iron are payable May 1.

This week's Boston bank statement shows a decrease of $1,225,000 in loans and a decrease of $2,038,000 in reserve.

Gross earnings of Southern Railway for February increased $1,021,151 and net increased $308,932.

Gross earnings of Louisville & Nashville for February increased $655,442 and net increased $68,945.

Gross earnings of the Soo railway for February increased $240,378 and net increased $145,245.

Gross earnings of Norfolk & Western for February increased $121,977 and net increased $329,688.

Gross earnings of Colorado Southern for February increased $258,258 and net increased $138,698.

Gross earnings of Chicago Great Western for February increased $436,274 and net increased $62,702.

For the fiscal year ended December 31 last the gross earnings of Western New York & Pennsylvania increased $1,320,561 and net increased $812,350.

The Chicago board of trade and the Chicago stock exchange will remain closed today on account of a municipal election.

Canadian Pacific railroad land sales for March were 46,112 acres for $576,433, against 15,906 acres for $85,576 in the same month last year.

The American Bridge Company last month received contracts for 60,000 tons of fabricated steel, thereby establishing a new high record for March. The highest previous March business was in 1901, when sales aggregated about 54,000 tons.

The syndicate which handled the $15,000,000 Westinghouse 5 per cent debenture certificates dissolved today. The members of the syndicate will have to take about 30 per cent of the issue. These bonds have been moderately successful, chiefly on account of the fact that the Disconto Gesellschaft took $5,000,000 to dispose of in Germany.

Boston Stocks and Bonds.

Atchison	95	American Sugar	147½
Do preferred	103½	Do preferred	128
Boston & Albany	276½	Am. Tel. & Tel.	128½
Boston & Maine	180	American Woolen	43½
Boston Elevated	155	Do preferred	106½
*Fitchburg pfd.	142	Dom. Iron & Stl.	25¾
Mexican Central	24¾	Mass. Gas	93
N. Y., N. H. & H.	199	United Fruit	107⅜
*Peru Marquette	60	United Shoe Mach.	44½
Union Pacific	158⅝	Do preferred	39½
Am. Arge. Chem.	38¼	U. S. Steel	45
Do preferred	94	Do preferred	108
Am. Pneu. Tube	26½		

*Bid. †Asked.

New York Curb Stocks.

(Reported by Henry Sproul & Co.)

Amer. Tin Can	9¼	Seaboard Air Line	36
Do preferred	66⅝	Do preferred	60
Electric Vehicle	10	Standard Oil	650
Do preferred	12	Tennessee Copper	47¼
Green Con. Cop.	30⅝	Tonopah	18½
Interborough	229¾	Bethlehem Steel	28
Do preferred	128¾	Greene Gold	3½
International Salt	41⅜	United Copper	67⅝
Do 5s	79	Do preferred	98
Otis Elevator	58	Green Gold & Silv	2¾
Do preferred	100		

Philadelphia Stocks.

(Reported by Childs & Childs.)

STOCKS.	High	Low	Last Bid
Cambria Steel	36¾	35⅞	36⅝
Electric Co. of America	11⅝	11½	11⅝
Lehigh Valley	78¾	77¾	77¾
Lehigh Navigation	110½	109¾	110
Philadelphia Traction	99⅜	99⅜	99¾
Philadelphia Rapid Transit	29	28	28
Union Traction	63½	62	62
United Gas Improvement	95¼	94⅜	95

Standard Investment Bonds.

The Colonial Trust Company, No. 317 Fourth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., has for sale a variety of bonds yielding the purchaser from 3½ to 4 per cent, which it recommends as desirable investments. Inquire of Alexander G. Thompson, manager bond department.

THE MONEY MARKET.

The local money market is firm at 5½ to 6 per cent on call and time loans. Clearing house comparisons:

	Exchanges.	Balances.
Yesterday	$9,954,946 98	$1,819,516 27
Last week	7,866,537 79	1,841,566 23
Last year	8,229,782 32	1,227,096 90

Foreign Financial.

LONDON, April 2.—Supplies of money were more plentiful in the market today. Discounts were weaker in anticipation of improved monetary conditions. Traders on the stock exchange were cheerful, the new account promising broadening business. Prices generally advanced. Consols hardened on gilt-edge securities in view of the cheapness of money, the result of the Moroccan conference and the satisfactory revenue returns. Home rails advanced. Consols for money, 80 11-16; consols for account (May), 80 15-16. Bar silver quiet at 23¾d per ounce. Money, 3½@3¾ per cent; discount for short bills, 3½ per cent; discount for three months' bills, 3 1-16@3⅛ per cent.

PARIS, April 2.—Three per cent rentes, 99 francs 45 centimes for the account. Exchange on London, 25 francs 12 centimes for checks.

BERLIN, April 2.—Exchange on London, 20 marks 43½ pfennigs for checks. Discount rates: Short bills, 6¼ per cent; three months' bills, 5⅞ per cent.

Monthly Circulation Statement.

WASHINGTON, April 2.—The monthly circulation statement shows that at the close of business March 31, 1906, the total circulation of national bank notes was $3,254,965,967, an increase for the year of $78,718,022, and an increase for the month of $3,863,072. The circulation based on United States bonds amounted to $512,721,554, an increase for the year of $67,251,872, and an increase for the month of $3,047,852.

The amount of circulation secured by lawful money was $15,446,419, an increase for the year of $11,366,630, and an increase for the month of $415,087. The amount of bonds on deposit to secure circulating notes was $514,362,950 and to secure public deposits $77,626,490.

Banks and the Treasury.

NEW YORK, April 2.—(Special.)—In redemption of checks drawn by depositors of gold at the Seattle assay office, today's official records show that the sub-treasury paid out Saturday $310. Total thus paid since Friday, $1,395, against $2,851 for the same period a week ago. Total payment by government to New York banks for the day, $3,114,000. Payment by banks to government, $3,073,000. Balance on the day's transactions, $41,000 paid by government to banks. Total net payment by banks to government since Friday, $968,000 against $938,000 similarly paid for the corresponding period a week ago and $339,000 paid by government to banks a year ago.

Statement of the Treasury.

WASHINGTON, April 2.—Today's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund exclusive of the $150,000,000 gold reserve, shows: Available cash balance, $159,859,022; gold coin and bullion, $79,462,034; gold certificates, $34,916,250; silver coin and bullion, $16,666,779; silver certificates, $4,618,305; United States notes, $9,916,956; treasury notes of 1890, $25,985; national bank notes, $4,538,751; total receipts this month, $2,473,727; total receipts this year, $448,947,969; total expenditures this month, $1,710,000; total expenditures this year, $442,221,938.

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, April 2.—Money on call strong and higher, 6@10 per cent; ruling rate, 6 per cent; last loan, 7½ per cent; closing bid, 7½ per cent; offered at 8 per cent. Time loans steady; 60 days, 90 days and six months, 5 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 5¼@5½ per cent. Sterling exchange easier at $4 85.40@4 85.45 for demand and at $4 82.60@4 82.65 for 60-day bills; posted rates, $4 83@4 83½ and $4 86½. Commercial bills, $4 82¾@4 82¾; bar silver, 64¾. Mexican dollars, 49¾; government bonds steady; railroad bonds irregular.

Value of Foreign Coins.

WASHINGTON, April 2.—The quarterly statement of the values of foreign coins issued by the director of the mint shows that since January 1, 1906, there has been an increase in the price of silver of $0.01⅞ per fine ounce. The value of foreign silver coins is increased correspondingly.

Receipts and Expenditures.

WASHINGTON, April 2.—National bank notes received today for redemption, $1,063,511; government receipts from internal revenue, $1,327,983; customs, $822,894; miscellaneous, $222,348; expenditures, $1,716,000.

The West Penn Railways Company is rapidly completing their new line between Youngwood and Mt. Pleasant. This will not only give through service to Greensburg via Hecla, but will open up a large amount of new territory that is quite populous, and in consequence will, of course, increase the revenue in this division very materially.

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CHANGE IN PRICES HAS NO EFFECT ON MARKET

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, April 3.—The Herald this (Tuesday) morning says: Despite a very decided increase in the volume of business and a general and, in some cases noteworthy, advance in prices, the general character of the trading in Wall street yesterday underwent no change. Dealings were very largely professional, but while the aggressive character of the pool and clique operations were even more pronounced than last week little or no increase of public participation in the market was noted.

The market in many respects resembled the session of last December, prices advancing despite the sharp advance in call money. In brokers' offices generally the whole performance was regarded in the light of a supreme effort on the part of the bull party to get the market started again on the upward track, irrespective of the almost exhausted bank reserves and uncertain labor situation.

Speculative sentiment was decidedly mixed, but quite naturally the professional trading element was not inclined to contest the aggressive upbidding of prices, and such traders as were still short of the market were disposed to cover their commitments whenever they could do so.

The short interest, however, according to the best accounts, is very much reduced, almost entirely eliminated in fact. Persons who opposed the advance did so chiefly on the score that the pace was too rapid to hold in consequence of the almost exhausted bank reserves. According to the bank statement Saturday 26 banks of the clearing house association, 12 national and 14 state institutions, were under the 25 per cent reserve.

The manipulative party insisted that the money market would speedily improve, and that with Morocco out of the way Europe would lend extensively. This, together with the general business and good crop prospects, was said to be the basis of the movement.

The stocks of the anthracite and bituminous coal roads and those of the steel companies, particularly of the United States Steel Corporation, were conspicuously strong and active. Reading led in this particular, with a net advance of 3¾, after selling higher. Erie, Ontario & Western, Chesapeake & Ohio, Norfolk & Western, Baltimore & Ohio, and Pennsylvania railroad participated.

Some persons attribute this to a hopeful feeling that the coal strike would not be serious or of long duration, and the developments in the bituminous field apparently favored this contention. Others regarded it as a counter-demonstration to minimize the effects of the strike by creating a favorable sentiment concerning it.

THE THREE RIVERS

At 9 o'clock last night the marks on the gauge at the Davis island dam indicated a stage of 13.4 feet, and the river was falling.

CINCINNATI, O., April 2.—At 6 p. m. today the Ohio river at Cincinnati was 50 feet and falling. The Pittsburgh fleet, headed by the Exporter, arrived today. The Coal City and tow arrived and returned with a tow of empties. The Crescent arrived with a tow of coal. Clear and warmer.

GREENSBORO—River 11 feet and falling. Clear and warmer.

POINT PLEASANT—River 37 feet and falling. Clear and pleasant. Down: Tbat Doing-worth. Up: Iron Age.

STEUBENVILLE—River 23 feet 8 inches and falling. Clear and cool. Up: Tornado.

LOUISVILLE—River rising; in canal, 26.2 feet; on falls, 24 feet; below locks, 35.2 feet. Clear and warmer.

MORGANTOWN—River 9 feet 2 inches and falling. Clear.

OIL CITY—River 5 feet 11 inches and falling. Clear and cool.

WHEELING—River 24 feet 4 inches and falling.

PARKERSBURG—River 28 feet and falling rapidly. Clear and mild. The Queen City left for Pittsburgh.

MARIETTA—River 38 feet and falling. Clear and pleasant.

MORE COAL MOVING.

Another big shipment of coal left the local pools yesterday southward bound. Included in the shipment were the Valiant, 12 boats, 4 barges, 4 flats and 1 model barge; W. W. O'Neill, 20 boats and 3 barges; Jim Wood, 17 boats for the Monongahela Consolidated Coal and Coke Company. C. Jutte & Co. sent out the Oakland with 14 boats, 2 flats and 2 barges, and the G. W. Thomas took out 6 coal boats, which will be later turned over to the Oakland. The Helen White also left with 10 coal boats and 7 barges for the United Coal Company.

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FEW CHANGES MADE IN THE LOCAL MARKETS

Seasonable Vegetables Are Getting Scarcer—Price Advancing on All Varieties.

There were practically no changes made in the markets yesterday, but a few days of good weather is bound to send the prices down, especially on vegetables of all varieties. Celery, turnips, sweet potatoes and other like vegetables which are getting scarcer are still stiff in price, and instead of getting cheaper will probably go higher until they are entirely out of season. Jersey sweets took an upward turn yesterday of 25 cents a barrel, and hampers and crates went up proportionately. German seed cabbage is stiff, notwithstanding that new cabbage is in the market and is pressing it hard. The varieties coming in from the south are not as good as the seed cabbage, however, which accounts for this condition.

Cranberries were scratched off of the list yesterday and the only way this berry can be bought hereafter will be by the can. Their closing mark was $5.00 a crate, a record price.

Green beans and green peas, of the southern variety, are getting more plentiful. New beans got their first cut in price yesterday and are now worth $4.50 and $5 a bushel. The variety is good.

Eggs are a little stiffer in price.

HAY AND GRAIN.

RECEIPTS.

Receipts bulletined yesterday were: Pennsylvania, 31 hay, 15 corn, 17 oats, 9 feed, 2 straw. Baltimore & Ohio, 16 hay, 4 oats. Pittsburgh & Lake Erie, 7 hay, 3 oats, 2 corn, 1 feed.

Market continues firm and active. A good demand is noted in all lines, especially in No. 1 timothy hay, which is not coming in very freely. Corn continues scarce.

No. 1 timothy ....$13.75@14.25	No. 1 mixed clover ....$21.50@22.00
No. 2 ....$12.75@13.25	No. 2 mixed clover ....$21.00@21.50
No. 1 clover $10.00@10.50	do brown...$19.50@20.00
No. 2 clover ....$9.00@9.50	Bran, ton....$20.00@20.50
No. 1 mixed $11.00@11.25	Wheat, No. 1 red, new, at mill..80@83c
No. 2 mixed $10.00@10.50	Corn—New yellow shelled ....51½@52c
Straw, oat....$6.50@7.00	New high mixed car ....51@52c
do wheat....$6.50@7.00	New yellow car ....54@55c
do rye ....$8.50@8.75	No. 2 Michigan rye ....72@73c
No. 3 white oats ....35½@36½c	
No. 3 white oats ....35½@35¾c	
No. 4 oats ....34½@35c	

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Apples, bbls, Kings, fancy ....$6.50@7.00	Bananas, lats...$1.75@2.00
Other fancy varieties $6.00@6.50	do 3nds ....$1.00@1.25
do choice....$4.50@5.00	Pineapples, smooth, Cayennes ....$4.00@4.50
do California box ....$2.50@3.50	Red Spanish...$4.00@4.50
Lemons, Messinas, fancy ....$3.50@4.00	Limes, per 100 ....$2.00@2.50
do choice ....$3.00@3.25	Dates, stuffed 15c
Oranges, Florida ....$4.00@4.50	Figs, California, in 10-lb box ....90c@$1.50
California seedlings ....$2.00@2.50	Layer, lb ..... 10@20c
Navel ....$2.50@4.00	Grapes, Malaga, bbl..$5.00@5.50
Cocoanuts, bags ....$3.25@3.50	do fancy ....$6.00@7.00
do doz. ..... 45@50c	Grape fruit, Florida ....$5.00@6.00

BUTTER, EGGS AND CHEESE.

Butter.	do Wis. Swiss,
Prints ....30@30½c	tubs ....15@15½c
Tubs ....29@29½c	do block ....15@15½c
Ohio cream ....31½@32c	do imported..27@27½c
Dairy ....26@21c	do Limburger, new....13½@14c
Cooking ....15@16c	do 5-lb brick, new ....14½@15c
Cheese N. Y. full cream, new.14½@15c	do Neufchatel, large box..90c@$1.00
Ohio full cream..14½@15c	do Shefford, box....35c
do ¾ cream..13@13½c	Eggs, selected...18@17c
do picnics....15@15½c	do southern....14@15c
do Phila. cream, doz. ....20c@$1.00	

POULTRY AND GAME.

Chickens ....15@16c	Ducks, ruddy $1.25
do roosters ....9@10c	do red head..$1.70@3.60
Turkeys ....18@20c	do canvasback ....$2.75@3.00
Geese ....10@11c	Impt. golden plover, doz. $5.50
Ducks ....15@16c	do black plover...$4.50
Pigeons, doz...$1.00@1.15	English pheasants, per pair $2.25
Dressed hens..18@18½c	
do springers ....19@20c	
do roosters ....11@12c	
do turkeys ....25@27c	

DRIED FRUITS.

Raisins, 1-lb pkgs. ....8@9½c	do fancy ....11@12c
Evap. peaches, 25-lb box, choice..10@11½c	Evap. apricots, 25-lb box, choice..10@11½c
Evap. apples, 1-lb pkg....7½@7¾c	Cleaned currants, 1-lb pkgs ....8½@9c

GROCERIES.

Flour.	
Fancy spg. Minn. pat. ....$4.00@4.45	do coffee A....4.30c
Kansas pat...$4.35@4.60	do No. 1 yellow..4.25c
Fancy winter patent ....$4.25@4.30	do No. 2 yellow..4.20c
Rye ....$3.85@3.90	Beans.
Buckwheat ....$2.40@2.60	Navy, choice. H. P. ....$1.75@1.85
Graham, 10-lb bags ....$2.25@2.45	Red kidney....$2.25@2.30
Cornmeal, bags ....$3.10@3.20	Cal. lima, lb....5½@6c
Rolled oats, bbl...$1.20	Pears, dried, bu. ....$1.80@1.85
do kegs $2.70	do split, lb. 5½c
Roasted Coffee.	do marrowfat, bu. ....$1.75@1.85
Rio ....15@15½c	Oil, carbon, 110 deg. 12c
Santos ....23½@24½c	do water white....13c
Maracaibo ....16@16½c	do Ohio W. W. 150 deg. 12½c
Peaberry ....18½@19c	do Elaine 13c
Golden Rio 15½c	Miners' oil, special brands ....26@42c
Caracas ....20@21½c	Rice, ex-fancy head, lb. ....6½@7c
Standard, peas...14.85c	do fancy Japan ....4½@5c
High grade..15½@19½c	do choice, Carolina ....5½@6c
Molasses, fancy, new-crop, refined ....25@38c	Salt, No. 1 bbl....$1.10
do choice ....31@34c	do No. 1 extra....$1.20
do open kettle..37@39c	do gran. rock....95c
do 2-lb 95c	do pocket....$1.65@2.10
do 3-lb ....$1.35@1.65	do dairy $1.40
Fancy syrup ....26@30c	Lentils, fancy, "6-O," lb....4½@5½c
Maple sugar, gal...$1.06	Sauerkraut, 40-gal cask.$7.50@8.00
Sug. and cane...21@25c	do 15-gal keg.$3.50@3.75
2-lb cans, doz....85c	do bbls. ....$13.50@16.00
2½-lb cans, doz....95c	Honey, combed, w. c. fancy, lb. ....17@18c
5-lb cans, doz....$1.70	do choice ....15@16c
10-lb cans, doz...$3.40	do buckwheat....15@16c
Maple, gal....75c@$1.00	Bermuda onions ....$3.25@3.50
Sugar, stan. gran...4.70c	
do bags 4.70c	
do 2-lb cartons...4.85c	
do 5-lb bags....4.85c	
do pow'd xxxx...4.85c	
do stand. pow'd.4.85c	
do cut loaf block.4.95c	
do cubes 4.95c	

PRODUCE.

Potatoes ....35@90c	do hampers..$2.50@3.50
New potatoes, bbls. ....$6.00@6.50	Spinach, bskt....60@75c
do bu. ....$1.75@2.00	Spring spinach, doz. ....80@75c
Sweetpotatoes, Jersey, fancy, bbl. ....$3.25@3.50	Asparagus, Cal., bunches ....50@75c
Jersey sweets, crate ....$1.15@1.25	do doz. ....$6.00@9.00
do fancy, hamper...$1.15@1.35	Rutabagas, bbls. ....$1.00@1.15
Onions, yellow Danvers, bu. ....50@60c	Kale, bbl. ....75c@$1.00
do bbls. ....$1.75@2.00	Eggplant, crt...$3.00@3.50
Silver skins, bbls. ....$3.50@4.00	Garlic, lb. ....8@10c
do bu. ....$1.50@1.75	Watercress, doz...80@40c
Valencia, crate ....$3.50@4.00	Cauliflower, Cal., crates ....$4.00@4.50
do Spanish, crates ....$1.15@1.25	Carrots, bbls...$2.25@2.50
Cabbage, P. S., bbls. ....$2.00@3.50	Cucumbers, Boston, doz...$1.25@1.50
do pound ....2½@3c	Turnips, bbl....$1.50@2.00
Green onions, doz. ....15@20c	do bu. ....65@75c
Onion sets, bu., Ky. and O. $2.00@3.00	Beets, bbl. ....$2.50@2.75
do Erie....$2.50@3.75	New beets, doz...35@40c
Green peppers, quarts ....15@18c	Popcorn, lb. ....4@5c
do crate ....$3.50@4.00	Mint, doz. ....50@55c
California celery, crate ....$6.00@6.50	Parsley, doz. ....40@50c
do doz. ....85@90c	Parsnips, bbl...$1.75@2.00
Florida celery, crate ....$3.25@3.50	Horseradish ...$5.00@5.50
do doz. ....70@80c	Brussels sprouts, quarts ....15@18c
Endive, bbl...$8.50@7.50	Radishes, doz. ....25@50c
Escarill ....$4.50@3.00	Shallots ....25@40c
Lettuce, bskt....40@50c	Strawberries, qt...30@40c
Head lettuce, bbl. ....$6.00@8.00	Rhubarb, doz. ....90@35c
	Green beans, bu. ....$4.50@5.00
	New peas, bu...$5.00@6.00
	New cabbage, crates ....$3.25@3.50

CANNED GOODS.

Peaches, sta. pie...$1.05	Raspberries ....85@95c
do pie gal.$2.50@3.00	Gooseberries ....85@90c
do California, L. C. ....$1.90@2.05	Tomatoes, fancy ....$1.05@1.25
do California, Y. F. ....$1.90@2.25	do standard..$1.00@1.05
Corn, fancy...$1.10@1.30	do gal. $2.45
do standard....80@90c	Succotash, 1-lb cans ....$1.10@1.25
Cherries, California, white ....$2.50@2.75	Baked beans, cans, tomato sauce..75@95c
Lima beans...$1.25@1.45	Salmon, dos....85c@$2.00
do soaked ....75@80c	do red, 1-lb flats ....95c@$1.00
String beans, 2-lb ....65@70c	do pink, 1-lb talls ....$1.81@2.10
do 3-lb ....80@95c	Chipped beef...$2.25@2.75
Stringless beans ....$1.10@1.80	Corn and roast beef, 2-lb cans...$2.20@2.40
Peas, marrowfat ....80@90c	do 1-lb cans..$1.25@1.30
do early June ....85@90c	Mackerel, broiled ....$1.90@2.50
do soaked ....55@65c	Sardines, domestic, ¼s....$2.80@3.00
Plums, California ....$1.40@1.65	do mustards, ¼s...$2.50
Apples, N. Y., gal. cans..$2.50@2.75	do French....$8.50@18.00
Pineapples ....$1.25@2.50	

JOBBERS' YARD PRICES.

Potatoes, car lots, fancy, bu. ....75@80c	Apples, Fancy, bbl....$5.50@6.00
Cabbage, G. S., ton ....$35.00@60.00	Choice, bbl...$4.50@5.00
Florida celery, crate ....$3.00@3.25	Onions, bbl....$1.65@1.70
	do bu. ....40@50c
	Cal. celery ....$5.00@5.50

NUTS.

New California walnuts 17c	English walnuts, lb. ....12@15c
Chestnuts, Italian ....7@8c	Butternuts ....$1.25@1.50
Hickory nuts, bu. ....$1.75@2.00	Hazelnuts, lb. ....11@12c
Walnuts, bu. ....50@75c	Almonds, lb. ....14@15c
	Pecans, lb. ....11@12c
	Shellbarks ....$2.00@2.25

NEWS FROM THE MINES.

The shipments from Tintic district amounted to 178 carloads last week. They were as follows: Centennial Eureka, 54 carloads; Gemini, 17; Mammoth, 15; Eureka Hill, 12; Eagle and Blue Bell and Grand Central, 9 each; Bullion Beck and Beck Tunnel, 8 each; May Day and Ridge and Valley, 5 each; Ajax, Carisa, Lower Mammoth, Victoria, Uncle Sam and Swansea, 4 each. Several other properties contributed from one to three carloads each.

The negotiations for the control of the Ohio Copper are still pending. In the meantime, the company is going ahead with developments and is shipping enough ore every day to make expenses and a good profit besides.

Negotiations are still pending for the transfer for the control of the Honerine mine of Stockton. It is not yet announced who is to be in control. It is certain that Peter Haack of Los Angeles has secured a large interest. It is reported that Mr. Newhouse is also interested in the enterprise.

The annual report of the Horn Silver Mining Company shows that the total receipts from ore last year were $173,257 51. The company paid $80,000 in dividends and closed the year with a cash surplus of a little more than $50,000. The mine is still making a good record for one that has produced more than $40,000,000.

An experiment with the automobile in the freighting over mountain roads in Mexico will be made by the Mexican Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company of Boston in the Guanacevi district of Durango. Two steam cars, of sixty horsepower capacity each, are being built for the company in Buffalo, N. Y., and will be shipped to Mexico as soon as completed. The cars will be placed in service between the mines and some point on a railroad yet to be determined. Each motor car will be equipped with a drum containing stout steel cables, which will be used in climbing heavy grades with heavy loads. These cables will be fastened to trees or boulders ahead of the machine, and will be taken up by the drum as the car ascends the grade.

A shipment made by Tippett & Co., operating a lease in the 500-foot cast level of the Pittsburgh mine in Russell district, to the Chamberlain-Dillingham sampling works last week, brought net returns of $728 per ton, the values being as follows: Thirty-six and seventy-one hundredths ounces gold, seventeen ounces silver and 6 per cent dry copper. The property is operated by the Cashier Gold Mining and Reduction Company, and this is one of the best high-grade shipments made for some time.

Greene Consolidated Copper Company declared a dividend of 4 per cent, payable April 20, to stockholders record April 18.

Official notice has been received of a special meeting of Tramp Mining Company shareholders in Colorado Springs April 10, to act upon the proposition to merge this company with the Eclipse and Denver Companies into a new company to be known as the Tramp Consolidated Mining Company. The new company will have a capitalization of $2,000,000, of which $500,000 will remain in the treasury.

The exports of copper for the month of March amounted to 16,013 tons, and for three months 47,121, a decrease of 12,700 tons.

General Manager J. C. Jackling of the Utah Copper Company states that that company will rush to completion its great ore dressing and smelting plant at Garfield, bringing it up to a capacity for the treatment of 6,000 tons of ore every 24 hours.

The LaFrance Copper Company, which is controlled by the Heinzes, has taken up its option on the Lexington group of mines at Walkerville, Butte district. It is believed the LaFrance Company will sooner or later be turned over to the United Copper Company.

For the first time in its history the Calumet and Hecla Copper Company is now producing 100,000,000 pounds of copper per annum and earning about $100 per share.

The Metal Market.

NEW YORK, April 2.—The London tin market advanced £1 to £169 15s for spot and £166 17s 6d for futures. Locally the market was firm and higher in sympathy with spot, closing at $37 37½@37 62½. The London copper market was also higher, closing at £84 5s for spot and £81 15s for futures. Locally no change was reported. Lake is quoted at $18 50 @18 75; electrolytic at $18 25@18 50; casting at $18 00@18 25. Exports of copper for the month of March were 16,301 tons, making a total of 47,121 tons for the three months, against 58,826 tons for the same time last year. It is reported that 1,100 tons of Chinese resales have reached the local market. Lead was unchanged at $5 35 @5 45 in the local market. The English market was also unchanged at £18 5s 9d. Spelter was unchanged locally, closing at $5 12½@5 20. The market abroad was higher and closed at £25 2s 6d. Iron was higher abroad, with standard foundry closing at 48s 3d and Cleveland warrants at 48s 3d. Locally the market is reported steady and No. 2 foundry, southern, is held a shade higher. No. 1 foundry, northern, is quoted at $18 25@19 25; No. 2 foundry, northern, $17 75@18 25; No. 1 foundry, southern, $18 25@18 75; No. 2 foundry, southern, $17 75 @18 50.

LONDON, April 2.—Copper was strong and active today. The price closed at £84 5s. About 750 tons were sold. Tin was strong today and advanced 17s 6d, owing to short supplies. The price closed at £169 15s; 650 tons were sold.

Boston Copper Stocks.

(Reported by A. E. Masten & Co.)

	Open	High	Low	Closing Bid.	Closing Ask.
Adventure	6⅝	7⅛	6¾	7⅛	7⅜
Ahmeek	....	....	....	82	85
Allouez	39	39½	39	39½	40
Arcadian	4⅛	4⅛	4	....	4⅛
Atlantic	21½	21⅝	21	21½	21⅝
Bingham	40	40⅝	40	40	40½
Boston Consol.	23⅝	23⅞	23⅜	23⅝	24
Black Mountain	....	....	....	13½	14
Butte Exploration	....	....	....	4	4⅛
Butte & Lon.	....	....	....	3½	3¾
Calumet & Hecla	700	700	700	695	700
Centennial	27	27½	27	27¾	27½
Daly-West	....	....	....	14	14½
East Butte	....	....	....	14	14½
Butte Coalition	....	....	....	27½	28
Franklin	19⅞	20⅛	19⅞	20⅛	20⅜
Granby	13¾	13¾	13¾	13¾	13⅞
Greene	30⅜	30⅝	30¼	30⅝	30½
Isle Royale	23	23	23	22½	23
Keweenaw	....	....	....	13½	14
Mass	8¾	9	8¾	8¾	9
Michigan	13½	13½	13½	13⅜	14
Mitchell	....	....	....	12	12¼
Mohawk	62	62	61¾	61¾	62
Nevada Consols	....	....	....	18¼	18⅜
North Butte	83½	85¼	83½	85¼	86
Old Colony	....	....	....	1	1¼
Old Dominion	43¼	45	43½	44¾	45⅛
Osceola	104½	105	104	104½	105
Parrot	39	40	39	39¾	40
Phoenix	....	....	....	1	1¼
Quincy	94½	95	94½	94	96
Range Cons.	81	81½	81	81¼	81⅝
Raven	....	....	....	7¼	7⅜
Rhode Island	6½	8¼	6½	6	6¼
Tamarack	107½	110	107½	110	110
Trinity	10	10	10	10	10¼
United Copper	68¼	68⅝	67¾	67½	68
Do preferred	....	....	....	95	100
Utah	65	65¼	64½	64¾	65
Utah Apex	....	....	....	6¾	6⅞
Utah Copper	....	....	....	29	30
U. S. Mining	61½	62	61½	62	62½
Victoria	8¾	8¾	8¾	8½	8⅞
Wolverine	136	136	136	135	138
Winona	....	....	....	8	8¼

BISBEE MINING STOCKS.

Calumet & Ariz.	....	....	....	120	....
Calumet & Pgh.	....	....	....	24½	26
Junction	....	....	....	25⅜	26
L. S. & Pgh.	....	....	....	40½	42
Pitts. & Duluth	....	....	....	21½	22
Shoshone Cons.	....	....	....	16	16½

BOSTON, April 2.—More encouraging strike news caused a sharp rally all through the list today. A. C. F. being the leader, selling up two points and closing at the top. Butte was very strong and the stock is scarce around these prices. Copper Range will have a movement before long and should be bought around these prices. The same buying of Franklin which was noticeable a week or two ago was in evidence again today. The copper situation looks better and we think that the whole market is due for a few points rise.

Government Bond Quotations.

	Yesterday. Bid.	Yesterday. Ask.	Prev. Day Bid.	Prev. Day Ask.
U. S. 2s reg., 1930	106⅝	106¾	103⅝	104¼
U. S. 2s coup., 1930	106¾	106⅝	104¼	104⅝
U. S. 2s reg., 1908	104	105	104	105
U. S. 2s coup., 1908	104¼	105	104½	105
U. S. 3s, small bonds.	103	....	103	....
U. S. 4s reg., 1907	106⅜	106¾	103⅜	104¼
U. S. 4s coup., 1907	106⅜	106¾	104¼	106¼
U. S. 4s reg., 1925	132½	132⅝	132¼	132⅝
U. S. 4s coup., 1925	132¾	132⅝	132¼	132⅝
Dist. of Columbia, 3.65s	116½	....	116½	....
Philippine 4s, 1914-34..	109⅜	110⅜	109⅜	110⅜

The Whisky Market.

CINCINNATI, April 2.—Whisky, $1 23.

FREE SELLING CAUSES WEAKNESS IN WHEAT

Considerable Drop in Prices During First Hour on the Chicago Grain Market.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

CHICAGO, April 2.—Higher prices for wheat at Liverpool and decrease in the available supply in this country, offset today the effect of favorable weather for the new crop and caused a moderate degree of firmness in the local market. At the close the May delivery was up ¼c. Corn showed a gain of ⅛c. Oats were higher and provisions were up 2½c to 7½c.

The market opened steady, but commenced to weaken during the first hour on free selling by pit traders and commission houses. The favorable weather in the southwest and reports of probably increasing receipts in the northwest dispelled the early firmness, and prices dropped somewhat. About the middle of the session the prevailing sentiment again favored high prices, chiefly because of a strong close in the Liverpool market.

Throughout the remainder of the day the market held firm, a decrease of 812,000 bushels in the visible supply furnishing additional strength to prices. The close was firm, with prices almost at the top. The May option opened a shade lower to ⅛@¼c higher at 77⅛c to 77⅜c, sold off to 77⅛@77¼c and then advanced to 77¾c. The close was at 77½@ 77¾c. July ranged between 76⅛c and 77¼c and closed with a net gain of ¼c at 76¾@77c. Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 131,000 bushels.

The amount on passage increased 1,232,000 bushels. World's shipments for the week were 8,676,000 bushels, against 9,982,000 bushels for the previous week. Primary receipts were 821,000 bushels, against 706,000 bushels one year ago. Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 681 cars, against 678 cars last week and 531 cars one year ago.

Clear weather and the easier tone in wheat caused a slight decline in corn at the opening. Later, however, the market became quite firm on covering by shorts. Bullish sentiment was sustained by firm cables and a decrease of 2,221,000 bushels in the visible supply. The market closed firm. May opened unchanged at 44¼c, sold off to 45⅞c, and closed at 44⅝c, the highest point of the day. Local receipts were 280 cars, with 8 of contract grade.

Oats opened easier, but subsequently regained all of the early loss. The early weakness was due to selling, caused by excellent weather conditions and the rally later in the day to buying by the purchase of a prominent long. The May option opened unchanged to ⅛c lower at 30⅝@30⅞c to 30¾c, sold off to 30⅝c and closed at 30⅞c, the highest point of the day. Local receipts were 195 cars.

Trading in provisions was quiet, but the market was firm all day. Small receipts of hogs and higher prices for them were the chief causes of the firm market. Shippers and local packers were the chief buyers. At the close May pork was up 7½c at $13 32½. Lard was up 5@7½c at $8 42½. Ribs were 2½c higher at $8 67½c.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 4 cars; corn, 399 cars; oats, 264 cars; hogs, 12,000 head.

The Board of Trade will be closed tomorrow, it being election day.

The leading futures, as reported by Messrs. Armstrong & Co., Farmers Bank building, Pittsburgh, members of the Chicago board of trade, ranged as follows:

ARTICLES.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Sat'r day's Close.
WHEAT.					
May	77½	77⅞	77⅛	77⅝	77⅝
July	77	77⅝	76½	77	76⅝
September	76⅝	76⅞	76¼	77⅛	76⅝
CORN.					
May	44¾	44⅞	43⅞	44⅝	44¼
July	44⅜	44⅝	41¾	44⅜	44⅛
September	44⅝	45	44⅛	44⅞	44⅝
OATS.					
May	30⅝	30⅞	30⅛	30½	30⅛
July	29⅛	29½	29	29⅝	29⅜
September	28⅛	28⅝	28⅜	28⅞	28⅝
MESS PORK.					
May	16 35	16 55	16 32½	16 32½	16 25
July	15 17½	16 27½	16 17½	16 20	16 17½
LARD.					
May	8 45	8 45	8 40	8 42½	8 37½
July	8 52½	8 57½	8 52½	8 55	8 50
September	8 67½	8 67½	8 62½	8 62½	8 62½
SHORT RIBS.					
May	8 70	8 72½	8 67½	8 67½	8 65
July	8 70	8 75	8 70	8 70	8 67½
September	8 77	8 80	8 75	8 77½	8 72½

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour dull and easy. No. 2 spring wheat, 77@79½c; No. 3, 74@79c; No. 2 red, 84@85½c; No. 2 corn, 43½c; No. 2 yellow, 44½c; No. 2 oats, 30½c; No. 2 white, 31¾@32c; No. 3 white, 29@30½c; No. 2 rye, 66c; good feeding barley, 57@58½c; fair to choice malting, 48@56c; No. 1 flax seed, $1 06; No. 1 northwestern, $1 12; prime timothy seed, $3 17½; mess pork, per bbl., $15 25@15 20; lard, per 100 lbs., $8 40; short ribs sides (loose), $8 55@8 62½; short clear sides (boxed), $9 00@9 10; whisky, basis of high wines, $1 23; clover, contract grade, $13 00.

Articles.	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls.	22,900	15,000
Wheat, bu.	11,000	49,300
Corn, bu.	189,200	200,900
Oats, bu.	293,600	178,700
Rye, bu.	3,000	5,000
Barley, bu.	51,200	16,000

NEW YORK, April 2.—Flour—Receipts, 15,161 barrels; exports, 1,286 barrels; firm, with quiet trade. Rye flour steady. Cornmeal firm. Rye nominal. Barley steady. Wheat—Receipts, 17,000 bushels; exports, 18,720 bushels; spot firm. No. 2 red, 85¾c elevator; No. 2 red, 88⅞c nominal f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 northern, Duluth, 88¾c f. o. b. afloat.

Opening a shade higher on light world's shipments and steady cables, wheat eased off under large receipts and favorable weather, but rallied again later and closed steady, net unchanged to ⅝c higher. A more bullish visible supply statement than expected helped the afternoon market. May, 84⅝@85¾c, closed 85¾c; July, 83 3-16@83½c, closed 82¾c; September, 82@82¾c, closed 82¾c.

Corn—Receipts, 2,675 bushels; exports, 190,352 bushels; spot firm; No. 2, 55c elevator and 52c f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 yellow, 53c; No. 2 white, 53c. Option market was quiet, but generally steady with the wheat and on large clearances. The close was firm and ¼c net higher. May, closed 51¼c; July, closed 51¼c; September, 51@51¼c, closed 51¾c; December, closed 50¼c.

Oats—Receipts, 147,000 bushels; exports, 99,938 bushels; spot firm; mixed oats, 26 to 32 pounds, 35c; natural white, 30 to 35 pounds, 35½@37c; clipped white, 36 to 48 pounds, 38@40c.

LIVERPOOL, April 2.—Wheat—Spot nominal; futures steady; May, 6s 7½d; July, 6s 8¾d; September, nominal. Corn—Spot American mixed, new, firm, 4s 2½d; American mixed, old, quiet, 4s 7d; futures quiet; May, 4s 3¾d; July, 4s 3d. Hops in London (Pacific coast), quiet, £2 2s 3d.

MINNEAPOLIS, MINN., April 2.—Close—Wheat, May, 76¾c; July, 78¼@78¾c; No. 1 hard, 77½c; No. 1 northern, 76¼@77c; No. 2 northern, 75¼c. Flour, first patents, $4 00@4 10; second patents, $3 80@3 90; first clears, $3 50@3 60; second clears, $2 40@2 55. Bran in bulk, $14.

TOLEDO, April 2.—Cloverseed, cash, $7 45; April, $7 40; October, $6 17; timothy, $1 50; alsike, $8 25.

ST. LOUIS, April 2.—Wheat—No. 2 red, cash, 83@83c; May, 76¾c; July, 74¾@74½c; No. 2 hard, 76@81¾c. Corn—No. 2 cash, 41¾c; May, 42@42¼c; July, 42⅝@42¾c. Oats—No. 2 cash, 31c; May, 30⅝@30¾c; July, 28¾c; No. 2 white, 33@33½c.

MILWAUKEE, April 2.—Wheat—No. 1 northern, 80@81c; No. 2 northern, 78@78¼c. Rye—No. 1, 65@65½c. Barley—No. 2, 55c; sample, 39@52½c. Corn—No. 3 cash, 42½@43c; May, 44¼c asked.

DULUTH, April 2.—Wheat—No. 1 northern, 77¼c; No. 2 northern, 76¼c; May, 77½c; July, 75½c; September, 77½c.

PHILADELPHIA, April 2.—Wheat unchanged. Corn quiet but steady. Oats quiet but firm; No. 2 white, natural, 36½c; No. 2 white, clipped, 37c. Receipts—Flour, 1,800 barrels, 3,096,000 pounds in sacks; wheat, 8,000 bushels; corn, 11,200 bushels. Shipments—Wheat, 800 bushels; corn, 800 bushels; oats, 19,260 bushels.

Coffee and Sugar.

NEW YORK, April 2.—The market for coffee futures opened steady at unchanged prices. There seemed to be a little European buying and the market held steady during the early trading in spite of disappointing Brazilian markets and rather heavier receipts. There was more or less local selling, supposed to be for long account, however, and the market eased off a little toward the close, being finally steady net unchanged to 5 points lower. Sales were reported of 38,500 bags, including April at 6.65c; May, 6.85@6.70c; July, 6.85@6.90c; September, 7.00@7.10c; October, 7.10@7.15c; December, 7.30@7.35c; January, 7.35c; February, 7.40c; spot Rio quiet; No. 7 invoice, 8¼c; mild steady. Sugar, raw quiet; fair refining, 3c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3 15-32@3½c; molasses sugar, 2⅝c; refined quiet. Molasses firm.

Evaporated Fruits.

NEW YORK, April 2.—The market for evaporated apples is firm, with a fair demand reported, part of which is for export account; common to fair are quoted at 7@8¼c; fair to good (1905), 8¾@8¾c; nearly to strict prime, 9@9¼c; choice, 9¼@10c; fancy, 11c. Prunes are said to be cleaning up on spot and the tone is firm, with quotations ranging from 4¼@6c, according to grade. Apricots are firm, with choice quoted at 10@10¼c; choice extra, 10¾@ 11c; fancy, 11½@12½c. Peaches are unchanged; choice are quoted at 10c; extra choice, 10¾c; fancy, 10¾@11c; extra fancy, 11½@12c. Raisins are quiet; loose muscatel quoted at 6@6¼c; seeded raisins, 6¼@7¾c; London layers, $1 50 @1 60.

Visible Supply of Grain.

NEW YORK, April 2.—The visible supply of grain Saturday, March 31, as compiled by the New York produce exchange, was as follows: Wheat, 46,470,000 bushels, decrease 856,000; corn, 11,891,000 bushels, decrease 2,221,000; oats, 21,232,000 bushels, decrease 1,356,000; rye, 2,126,000 bushels, decrease 54,000; barley, 3,656,000 bushels, decrease 281,000.

THE NATIONAL DEBT.

Large Decrease Noted for the Month of March and There is an Increase in Cash.

WASHINGTON, April 2.—The statement of the public debt issued today shows that at the close of business March 31, 1906, the total debt, less cash in the treasury, amounted to $981,627,438, which is a decrease for the month of $3,598,117. This decrease is largely accounted for by the increase in the amount of cash on hand. The debt is recapitulated as follows:

Interest bearing debt, $895,139,170; debt on which interest has ceased since maturity, $1,139,425; debt bearing no interest, $85,184,161; total, $1,291,462,760.

This amount, however, does not include $1,022,269,365 in certificates and treasury notes outstanding, which are offset by an equal amount of cash on hand which is held for their redemption. The cash in the treasury is classified as follows:

Gold reserve fund, $150,000,000; trust funds, $1,022,269,369; general fund, $150,596,598; in national bank depositaries, $76,856,722; in Philippine treasury, $4,921,755; total, $1,434,138,945, against which there are demand liabilities outstanding amounting to $1,124,279,623, which leaves a cash balance on hand, including the gold reserve of $309,859,322.

The Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, April 2.—Futures closed quiet and steady. Closing bids: April, 10.97c; May, 11.12c; June, 11.01c; July, 11.03c; August, 10.85c; September, 10.58c; October, 10.40c; November, 10.42c; December, 10.44c; January, 10.47c. Spot closed quiet. Middling uplands, 11.65c; middling gulf, 11.90c. Sales, 3,600 bales.

Estimated receipts at the ports today, 10,000 bales, against 15,170 bales last week and 24,893 bales last year. For the week, 86,000 bales against 101,482 bales last week and 164,890 bales last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans, 1,461 bales, against 3,074 bales last year, and at Houston, 3,285 bales, against 9,213 bales last year.

LIVERPOOL, April 2.—Spot, good business done; prices 3 points lower; American middling fair, 5.54d; good middling, 5.24d; middling, 5.04d; low middling, 5.88d; good ordinary, 5.52d; ordinary, 5.56d. The sales of the day were 14,000 bales, of which 500 bales were for speculation and export and included 12,500 bales American. Receipts, 25,000 bales, including 18,400 bales American. Futures opened easier and closed dull; American middling, g. o. c., April, 5.85d; April and May, 5.85; May and June, 5.86; June and July, 5.87; July and August, 5.88; August and September, 5.85; September and October, 5.69; October and November, 5.84; November and December, 5.82; December and January, 5.63; January and February, 5.64.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
January	10.38	10.48	10.45	10.47
March	*11.00	10.97	10.97	10.97
May	*11.08	11.15	11.07	11.12
June	....	....	....	11.01
July	10.97	11.06	10.96	11.03
August

RAILWAY CLERKS ALL ORGANIZING

Local Office Employes Are Forming a Division of the National Brotherhood.

ANOTHER AGENCY OPENED

The railroad clerks of Pittsburgh and its vicinity are being organized into a local division of the Brotherhood of Railway Clerks. This is a national organization, with headquarters at Kansas City. On last Thursday evening formal organization of the Pittsburgh division was effected, most of the new members being in the freight offices of the Baltimore & Ohio and Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh roads in Allegheny. There were also a number of representatives from other roads present. It is intended to broaden the scope and include all office men in this vicinity who desire to join. It could not be learned yesterday who have been chosen for official positions in the new division.

The brotherhood is similar to the other railroad brotherhoods, membership being limited to men working in offices or engaged in duties related to such work. Wilbur Bruggins is grand president and R. E. Fisher grand secretary and treasurer, their headquarters being at Kansas City. There was an effort about two years ago among office men at the Union station to organize a clerk's association, but it was not carried out.

Two New "Foreign Lines."

Canadian Northern and Mutual Transit Company offices are the two latest additions to Pittsburgh's large list of "foreign lines." William Phillips of Toronto, general eastern agent of the Canadian Northern, and R. H. Bell, traveling freight and passenger agent at Montreal, were here yesterday arranging for the establishment of a new traffic office of that road. Mr. Bell will remain in Pittsburgh as commercial agent. No location had been decided upon last evening, and today will be spent looking up quarters. Messrs. Phillips and Bell were shown about the city yesterday by Stephen V. Baldwin, commercial freight agent of the Delaware & Hudson. Mr. Baldwin being also a Canadian. The opening of a Canadian Northern traffic agency here came as a surprise to local traffic men. It runs west from Port Arthur through Ontario, cuts northwest, with numerous branches, through Manitoba, and reaches Prince Albert in Saskatchewan, touching also the province of Assiniboia.

Walter K. Young arrived yesterday and assumed his new duties as general agent of the Mutual Transit Company, the establishment of whose office here was noted last week. Mr. Young's friends were congratulating him doubly yesterday—upon his appointment to the new office and upon his having been wedded in New York last Wednesday and bringing his bride with him to Pittsburgh. Mr. Young has not decided definitely on his office, although he expects to locate in the Park building.

Another man added to the Pittsburgh traffic circle yesterday was Henry Moore, traffic manager of the Republic Iron and Steel Company, he having removed from Chicago. His headquarters are in the Frick building annex.

More Water Plants for B. & O.

In addition to the two water-purifying plants that have been in use on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad at Glenwood and Emblem, two more are to be erected. These will be located at Bessemer and Demmler and will be large enough to meet all demands of pure water for the heavy freight traffic. A new coaling plant is being erected at Fairport, while new machinery and repairs to the old are among dock improvements there and at Lorain.

Ticket Clerk to Be Lawyer.

Thomas W. Watson, who has been a ticket clerk at the Federal street station, Allegheny, for the Pennsylvania system for the past three years, resigned and left yesterday for Butler. He will enter the law offices of Marshall & Marshall for office practice, having completed his study of law. His successor has not been named by Ticket Agent H. S. Hare. Temporarily, Extra Agent C. F. Chenot of the eastern division is filling the place.

New Real Estate Agents.

Real Estate Agent Carskaddon of the Pennsylvania, has issued circulars announcing two new appointments in that department. Arthur T. Meredith has been appointed real estate agent for the company at Buffalo. J. Webb Mercer has been appointed to a similar position at Williamsport.

Increase in Baggage Handling.

The report of Baggage Agent Conrad for the month of March shows an increase of 10 per cent in the number of pieces of baggage handled as compared with March, 1905. There were 48,220 pieces received and 56,382 pieces forwarded, making a total of 105,102 pieces. In March, 1905, there were 96,105 pieces.

Cannot Compel Car Delivery.

In the case of the Houston Central railroad vs. Mays, the United States supreme court yesterday announced a decision that the police law of Texas, requiring railroads to deliver to shippers cars on a certain day under contract, excepting in case of strike, is unreasonable and unjust, and the law transcends the powers of the legislature of Texas.

Railroad Notes.

E. O. Ward, traveling car agent of the Wabash in the Chicago district, spent yesterday here in conference with Vice President Worthington and other officers.

N. A. Anspach, chief of the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern tariff bureau, was among the out-of-town railroaders in Pittsburgh yesterday.

Col. Schoonmaker, vice president of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie, spent a busy day at his desk yesterday after a month's sojourn in Florida.

Patrons and employes of the Pennsylvania in Allegheny were pleased to see Gateman Ira B. Powell on duty again at the Federal street station yesterday morning. He had been confined to his home at Beaver Falls three months by illness.

Passenger Traffic Manager Ford and General Passenger Agent Moody of the Pennsylvania lines left last evening for St. Louis. They will spend this week in the west.

It is reported that the Baltimore & Ohio is figuring on 5,000 freight cars for this year's delivery. About 3,000 cars and 65 engines of last year's order are yet to be delivered.

PREPARE TO LAY TRACKS.

Cars Will Soon Be Run in Sherman, Stockton, Ridge and Marion Streets, Allegheny.

After holding franchises for trolley lines in Stockton avenue, Sherman avenue, Marion street and Ridge avenue, Allegheny, for four years, preliminary arrangements have at last been completed by the Pittsburgh Railways Company for the laying of tracks in those thoroughfares. The franchises were granted by Allegheny councils after a hot fight in which there were allegations made of purchased votes. It was the general belief at the time the franchises were obtained that they were for the Mellon interests, and it was stated that there was no intention to run cars in those streets, but to hold them to prevent a rival syndicate from getting them. Afterward when various companies were merged by the Philadelphia Company it was again stated that the routes would not be used.

About 18 months ago the Pittsburgh Railways Company obtained a two years extension of the time given in which to lay tracks, and as only four months of this extension remain it is evidently the intention to push the work. This is evidenced by a number of ties piled up in Stockton avenue. This trolley route has been opposed by a number of the residents of Stockton and Ridge avenues.

ELECT NEW TRUSTEES.

Congregation of First Presbyterian Church Fills Vacancies on Board.

The annual congregational meeting of the First Presbyterian church, Sixth avenue, was held yesterday morning. The treasurer's report showed receipts for the year to be $138,456, exclusive of contributions to benevolences, which amount to from $25,000 to $30,000 more.

Four trustees were elected: A. Blaine Robinson, who succeeds R. C. Miller, deceased; James Laughlin, Jr., who succeeds Charles D. Speer, deceased; John D. Thompson and Jacob Painter. Samuel Ewart was re-elected president and Samuel Bailey secretary.

Chloroform Family, Including Dog.

After chloroforming William T. Baird, his wife and three daughters, as well as the pet terrier, burglars ransacked their home, 4011 Eden alley, Lawrenceville, at 3 o'clock yesterday morning, carrying off $17.10. The family awakened in a dazed condition about 7 o'clock and notified the police.

You can always depend upon it. Pilene positively cures Piles. All druggists sell it.

LUCKY DEAL IS MADE FIRST DAY

James Cohen Buys Triplett Houses at 507-509 Water Street for $45,000.

RE-SALE OUT FIFTH AVENUE

John Cooper is another broker who is sure it's a good thing to change quarters. Yesterday he was doing business for the first time at 810 Peoples Savings Bank building, instead of in his old offices in the Washington National bank building, and he celebrated the event by selling 505-507 Water street for $45,000. Brokers know the property as the old former Triplett holdings, although it passed out of their hands last year in a trade for a consideration of about $27,000, a downtown broker taking title to it. This deal makes him about $18,000, one of the biggest profits of the year to date. The Triplett lot is 45x50 feet and is situated just above Ross street and opposite the proposed B. & O. freight terminal, which is boosting prices in that locality. Two old brick houses on the lot bring in about $3,000 a year. The new owner is James Cohen.

Ira Aronson, through the Aronson-Friedman Company, has sold the property at 1029 Fifth avenue, which he bought two weeks ago for $42,500. He paid Mrs. Tillie C. Werder $40,000 for the lot, and the present owner is an outer Fifth avenue merchant. This latter price is at the rate of $1,634 a front foot, as the lot measures 26x107 feet. It is situated only a few doors from the Washington National bank building, and the three-story brick building purchased will be used by the new owner for his business.

Good Buy in Craig Street.

The Realty Corporation has made another good "buy" in real estate by getting from Mrs. Maria C. Seidell 50x140 feet on the east side of Craig street, adjoining the Charles building at the corner of Forbes street. The price paid was $27,000, and George Brothers handled the deal. Recently Craig street property, especially near Forbes street, has taken quite a spurt in popularity, and frontage that a few years ago was regarded as available only for home sites, is now coming in for business lots. The Seidell lot may be improved with a new store building as an old frame house is the only structure on it now.

The Rev. George S. Baggett of Crafton has disposed of a 12-room flat and nine-room brick house at the northwest corner of Homewood avenue and Mt. Vernon street, Twenty-first ward, for $16,000. A. F. Emmons of the Currier Company made the deal, and the buyer is a local investor who will get a revenue of $1,300 a year from the buildings, which stand on a lot 25x83 feet.

It develops that the actual price for the Isaac Wildberg property at 1222-1224 Penn avenue was only $37,500 instead of $40,000 as reported last week. R. L. Crawford of Waynesburg is the present owner and he pays $1,500 a foot for the lot.

Big Rumor on North Side.

A report was current yesterday that the Speer property in Federal street, Allegheny, at the end of the Sixth street bridge, had been sold, but it was promptly denied by those in a position to know. The owners have received an offer of over $300,000 for the property, which is one of the largest on the North Side. The total frontage in Federal street is 176 feet, and at the rear of the lot the property faces over 200 feet in Balkan street. A prominent amusement manager is now negotiating for a long lease on three of the Autenreith buildings, one story structures, which have just been vacated by the Autenreith department store. These as well as two other buildings belonging to the same owner rent for $1,800 a year each. Two buildings near the end of the bridge are rented for $1,500 and $1,500 a year. The property must be sold subject to a ground rent and several leases.

Paris & Co. have made an exchange deal totaling $19,750. For D. L. Ewing they sold to J. A. Warfel an 11-room brick house on 50x122 feet on the south side of Ross street, between Pitt and West streets, Wilkinsburg, for $10,000. The house has a renting value of about $60 a month, and was taken for an investment. In part payment there were given two brick houses on lots 27x80 feet each on the west side of Noble street, Swissvale, valued at $9,750, which are rented for $57 50 a month.

Dust and Mortar Flying.

A small army of laborers was turned loose on the several big buildings down town yesterday which will be razed to make room for bigger structures. On the roof and inside the Holmes and Dellemeyer buildings in Fourth avenue there was a great commotion and pedestrians along the street got an idea of the confusion which is likely to result all summer from the erection of two 20-story skyscraper on these sites. At the upper end of the avenue a big crowd of laborers started to pull down the buildings on the Berger site. In Oliver avenue the inside of the old Myers packing house is being torn out as fast as possible so that it may be made over into a modern store building and have a new front. The steel for all these buildings has been ordered and unless strikes prevent the work on them will be pushed much more rapidly than is usual.

Architects Lloyd Brothers have plans for a six-room brick school house to be built at Mt. Pleasant, Pa., at a cost of $10,000.

The A. & S. Wilson Company have the contract for extensive alterations to the residence of James H. Lockhart, Fifth avenue and Ivy street, to cost about $9,000.

Three big house building jobs have been announced within the past week, and it is expected that at least two more will be shaped up this week. Architects and contractors have found the outlook for house building rather dull up until lately, but with the prospects of good weather and a number of new allotments it looks now as if there would be a large number of dwellings built, especially by the promoters of the new lot plans, who are finding that houses and not lots are in best demand.

More Business Men Move.

The migration of business men in the downtown district continued all day yesterday and these firms will be found today in their new locations: Attorneys J. O. Petty and O. R. and C. M. Cook have moved to 1426 Farmers Bank building; Attorneys Milliken & Cramer, now at 411 Grant street; the A. C. Leslie Company, mortgage brokers, who are in the Bakewell building; L. A. Butler, wholesale confectioner, now at 432 Penn avenue; Demmler & Schenck Company, dealers in stoves and house furnishings, who have moved from Liberty avenue to their new building at 434 Penn avenue; F. M. Burr & Co. and the General Realty & Construction Company, which has gone from the Bessemer building to the Fulton building.

Avey & Irish have enlarged their force by the addition of K. F. Rafferty, who has accepted a position in their renting department, which will be managed by C. C. Wagner the ensuing year.

Economy: E. E. Clark and William Anschutz bought from the Fort Pitt Improvement Company through the Real Estate Trust Company, lot No. 18 in Block No. 7, in the Economy village plan, for $4,800. The lot is at Merchant street and Wagner avenue, and on it is one of the old Economy houses.

Rowley avenue: Thomas McCaffrey sold for Oscar Lippold to John Griffin a frame house on 20x100 feet at 3812 Howley avenue, Sixteenth ward, for $3,400.

Deed for "Leader" Property.

The deed was registered yesterday transferring from "The Leader Publishing Company" to "Leader Publishing Company," 20x110 feet in Fifth avenue and 55x110 feet at Virgin and Cherry alleys. The consideration named was $1.00. This is the property occupied by the Pittsburgh Leader.

Valonia avenue: Liggett, Lennox & Watkins, by their agent, J. H. McClelland, sold for D. S. Liggett to Mary P. Seltzinger an improved lot 24x120 feet, in Valonia avenue, Thirty-ninth ward, for $3,000.

Friendship avenue: Otilla M. Shepherd sold to Kathryn Conroy an improved lot, 20x183 feet, with 25x41 feet adjoining in the rear, in Friendship avenue, Twentieth ward, for $7,500.

Sylvania avenue: Charles A. Nolte sold to Ralph E. D. Young an improved lot, 25x163 feet, in Sylvania avenue, Thirty-eighth ward, for $2,400.

Susquehanna street: Benjamin F. Abel sold to Thomas Darby an improved lot, 25x90 feet, on the north side of Susquehanna street, Thirty-seventh ward, for $2,900.

Bedford avenue: Emma Evans sold to Rebecca Wayman an improved lot, 20x127 feet, in Bedford avenue, Eleventh ward, for $5,700.

Eureka street: Anton Imling sold to H. F. J. Yekel an improved lot, 25x186 feet, in Eureka street, Thirty-first ward, for $3,500.

Shiloh street: Martha A. Stevenson sold to Mrs. Olgo Kratt, 47x78 feet, on the east side of Shiloh street, Thirty-second ward, for $4,500.

Hazelwood avenue: W. G. Evans sold to M. J. Hurley, 25x98 feet, on the south side of Hazelwood avenue, Twenty-third ward, for $5,000.

Rural avenue: Louisa M. McGovern sold to Harris Barton, 22x187 feet, in Rural avenue, Nineteenth ward, for $9,000.

Building permits were taken out yesterday by W. J. McCutcheon for three 3-story brick apartments in McKee place, Fourteenth ward, to cost $105,000; George A. Spivey, 3-story brick apartment on Maryland avenue, Fortieth ward, to cost $18,000; C. B. Wood, 3-story brick apartments on Wylie avenue, to cost $27,000.

AUTOMOBILE STRIKES ROPE.

Philadelphia Man Is Killed and Wife Seriously Hurt While Driving in Haverford.

PHILADELPHIA, April 2.—While riding in an automobile through Haverford, a suburb, today, E. O. Gowing, a member of the firm of Adams Bros. & Co., wholesale meat dealers of this city, was killed, and his wife so seriously injured that her death is expected. Mr. Gowing failed to observe a rope that had been stretched across the road near a building operation. The rope tore the glass shield of the automobile from its fastenings, startling Mr. Gowing, who in manipulating the steering gear, caused the machine to swerve. It crashed into a telegraph pole and was upset, crushing its occupants. Mr. Gowing died in a few minutes. His wife is unconscious at a hospital with concussion of the brain and internal injuries.

Pittsburgh and West Virginia Company Gets a Good Producer

On States fork, Mannington district, Marion county, the Pittsburgh and West Virginia Oil and Gas Company has drilled in another good producer on the A. N. Rounds farm. It is this company's No. 3 on the farm, and the first 26 hours after it was drilled into the sand produced 250 barrels. The oil was developed in the Gordon and the well has not been drilled through that formation. The same company is building the rig for No. 4 on the same farm and has the rig completed and another building on the Henry Baker farm. West of Stringtown, Tyler county, the South Penn Oil Company has drilled its No. 3 on the Vilena McConnick farm into the Big Injun sand 156 feet and has developed no oil or gas. In the Smithfield district, Wetzel county, the same company has drilled its No. 39 on the B. W. Peterson farm through the fourth sand and has a duster and will abandon the hole.

On Point Pleasant creek, Ellsworth district, Tyler county, the J. C. Trees Oil Company and M. L. Benedum gave their test on the J. M. Martin farm a shot and it responded by producing 150 barrels the ensuing 24 hours. In the same district the Southern Oil Company agitated its No. 2 on the R. A. Workman farm and increased its production to 378 barrels a day. No. 1 on the same farm is holding up at 180 barrels and the Lincoln Oil Company's No. 1 on the M. L. Workman farm at 205 barrels a day. The Melrose Oil and Gas Company's No. 1 L. C. Lezear and No. 1 T. J. Lezear are holding up at 65 and 50 barrels respectively. In the Bealls Mills district, Lewis county, the South Penn Oil Company has drilled its second test on the E. G. Rogers farm through the fifth sand and has a show for a very light pumper. In the Kinchlowe Creek district the same company has completed and shot its second test on the Clyde Bailey farm and has a 35 or 40 barrels producer.

In the Wellsburg pool in Brook county, the Carter Oil Company has completed its test on the Robert Underwood farm and has a show for a 5-barrel pumper in the Berea grit. It was the initial well on this farm that first attracted attention to the Wellsburg district.

On the Little Kanawha river, in the Yellow Creek district, Calhoun county, the Carter Oil Company has drilled its No. 4 on the Allen Hardman farm into the salt sand and has a show for a 40-barrel producer. This is the second good salt sand producer that has been completed in that district within a week.

On the Ohio side, in the Woodsfield district, Monroe county, the Pure Oil Company has completed No. 10 on the L. B. Christman farm and has a 20-barrel producer. In the Lewisville district the Emery Oil Company's No. 2 on the David Stempert farm is producing 70 barrels a day. Near Joy, Morgan county, W. G. Young has completed his No. 15 on the S. N. Smith farm and has a 5-barrel pumper. In the Scio field in Harrison county, the Nassau Oil Company has completed No. 19 on the John McLandsborough farm and has a very light pumper in the Berea grit. Near Leetsdale, Allegheny county, Pa., R. K. Wilson has completed No. 12 on his own farm and since giving it a shot has a 10-barrel pumper.

Near Karns City, Butler county, Beck, Bezler & Co. have completed their No. 5 on the George Beck farm and have a show for a very light pumper in the fourth sand. In the Speechly sand district McGill & Co. have drilled their No. 8 on the Campbell farm into the Speechly sand and have a show for an 8 or 10-barrel pumper. North of Delfiaven, Allegheny county, Hoch Bros. have completed No. 4 on the Kessler heirs' farm and have a 15-barrel producer. In the same district the Crafton Oil Company is due on the sand at a test on the C. Campbell farm. The American Natural Gas Company is drilling a test on the A. Troutman farm.

On Point Pleasant creek, in the Keener sand development, Tyler county, Urquhart & Co. have drilled their test on the Clendenning heirs' farm 46 feet into the sand and have a duster. This location is 1,500 feet southwest of the Southern Oil Company's No. 1 on the R. A. Workman farm. Unless it finds something with deeper drilling it will be the first dry hole in the new pool and will shut off a southwest extension.

Shipments and Runs.

Shipments and runs of the Pennsylvania, Ohio and Indiana fields:

PENNSYLVANIA OIL.

SHIPMENTS.		RUNS.	
March 31	111,105	March 31	21,986
Previously	1,898,025	Previously	1,857,576
Total	2,009,130	Total	1,880,562
Daily average	64,811	Daily average	65,318

LIMA OIL.

SHIPMENTS.		RUNS.	
March 31	41,254	March 30	70,193
Previously	1,969,413	Previously	1,095,193
Total	2,010,667	Total	1,165,286
Daily average	64,860	Daily average	38,342

The Oil Market.

The following are the quotations for credit balances in the different fields: Pennsylvania, $1 58; Tiona, $1 68; Second Sand, $1 58; Cabell, $1 18; Corning, $1 10; New Castle, $1 85; North Lima, 94c; South Lima, 89c; Indiana, 89c; Somerset, 98c; Ragland, 55c. The Producers and Refiners' Company quotes $1 58 for Pennsylvania oil.

OIL CITY, April 2.—Credit balances, $1 58. Shipments, March 31, 71,987 barrels; average, 62,550 barrels; shipments, April 1, 45,791 barrels; runs, March 30 and 31, 163,614 barrels; average, 64,232 barrels. Shipments, Lima, March 31, 41,254 barrels; average, 64,860 barrels; shipments, Lima, April 1, 72,643 barrels; runs, March 30 and 31, 113,629 barrels; average, 38,924 barrels.

TOLEDO, April 2.—Oil—North Lima, 94c; South Lima and Indiana, 89c.

LOUIS H. ROSENTHAL.

Mr. Rosenthal is secretary and treasurer of the Columbia Realty Company, whose offices are in the Washington National Bank building, 929 Fifth avenue. It is one of the younger real estate institutions, but has worked up a large trade in Hill and Hump properties, as well as in outer Fifth avenue holdings.

STOPS WELSBACH LIGHT CONTRACT

Judge Macfarlane Grants Preliminary Injunction Because of Vague Specifications.

SORG MUST PAY DAMAGES

Judge Macfarlane granted a preliminary injunction in the suit brought by Sawyer & Stoner to prevent the city of Pittsburgh from entering into a contract for street lighting with the Welsbach Company. Judge Macfarlane says there is no evidence of collusive bidding or of an endeavor on the part of the city officials to prevent free bidding. There was evidence that the lowest bidder had filed a former contract unsatisfactorily. The court found, however, that the defense practically admitted that the specifications were vague, and on this ground he granted the preliminary injunction. Mandamus proceedings to compel Controller Larkin to certify the contract will be given another hearing this morning.

Judge Frazer refused a new trial in the case of Mary A. Rancher against Carl S. Sorg, in which the girl recovered $250 damages in a slander suit. She formerly worked in Sorg's store, and it is alleged took a collar from the stock and wore it. For this she was discharged. When she obtained employment elsewhere she alleges Sorg told stories about the taking of the collar that resulted in her discharge. She states that she intended to have the price of the collar taken out of her wages.

Benjamin Cohen was found guilty of dragging Mrs. Rachael Mandelbaum down stairs by the throat and beating her head on the sidewalk, in a quarrel over an alleyway. Loyd Lowder and John Donovan, boys who were found guilty of entering a house, were released on their own recognizance after promising the court to do better.

That his wife deserted him three days after their wedding, and has refused to live with him since, is the charge made by George Meyers, who filed a libel of divorce against his wife, Annie Meyers. A libel in divorce was filed by Margaret Florida McDougle against John H. McDougle, charging indignities.

A libel filed by Mrs. Mary Felton Allen of Bellevue against her husband, Harold C. Allen, alleges desertion.

A bill in equity was filed by George McC. Kountz against the O'Hara Street Railway Company and its successors, the Allegheny Valley Street Railway Company, to restrain it from laying tracks on a certain part of the Pittsburgh and Freeport road passing property of the plaintiff in Harmer township. Kountz claims the defendant company has never secured the consent of abutting property owners.

Eugenia E. S. Jordan, late of Sharpsburg, by her will, filed yesterday, makes the strange request that her relatives see that she is buried with her sable wrap, her wedding ring and her ear-rings. Her estate is valued at $25,000, most of it being in realty, situated in Sharpsburg and O'Hara township.

The will of Louise Terheyden, who was killed by a car in Liberty avenue, was filed. The will, which was made November 2, 1895, occupies but three lines, and leaves an unestimated estate to her brother, Henry Terheyden.

The mandamus proceedings brought by the Lutz & Schramm Company against the Teamsters union and others, was argued yesterday. No decision was made.

Suit was entered against the South Side hospital by Charles Claus, who claims $1,396 for meats furnished the hospital since April 1 of last year.

Harry Lieberman filed a bill in equity against Francis Hunter to restrain him from mortgaging or selling property at 2037 Penn avenue, because of an alleged deal to buy.

The Rev. E. M. Sandys has filed an answer to the suit of Mrs. Ella R. Sowder against the Christian Home for Working Girls. He denies that any money is due her, and asserts that she made false representations in regard to recommendations that she could produce.

Application has been made for the amendment of the charter of the Firemen's Relief and Benevolent association in the paragraphs relating to the distribution of the funds and the admission of members. Attorneys Williams & Edwards are the solicitors.

Attorney J. Wilford Holmes entered suit against J. R. Eberhart claiming $300 damages as a result of being struck by the defendant's automobile.

The mandamus proceedings instituted by Joseph H. Moore against the trustees of the Eleventh United Presbyterian church were not argued yesterday, the matter being postponed until testimony relative to the custody of the books can be taken.

IN THE LICENSE COURT.

Judge McClung Expects to Rush Matters Today—Wholesale List Up Monday.

Yesterday, in license court, Judge McClung heard 105 applicants for retail liquor licenses. He expects to get through with the remaining applicants from the boroughs by this evening. It was announced by the court that the applicants for wholesalers' licenses will be taken up next Monday.

Yesterday the Westinghouse interests opposed all the new applicants for licenses in East Pittsburgh. About one-third of the applicants from the Second ward, Homestead, were new, and all gave as an excuse for wanting to open new places for refreshment that the present places in the ward could not accommodate all those who wished to board in the Second ward. This was denied by the old applicants, who told the court they were not overcrowded, and did not believe new hotels were necessary. This interested the court, who will probably investigate. No other unusual feature developed in license court during the day.

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